

BOTH SIDES CLAIM SUCCESSSES IN FIGHTING NEAR PARIS

German Mines Destroy Merchant Vessels and British Cruiser in North Sea

GERMANS CLAIM TO HAVE ALLIES PUT TO FLIGHT IN SOUTHEAST

Expect to Take French Capital Easily == Contradictory Reports From Galicia

LONDON, Sept. 6, 9:20 p. m.—The following German official statement was received tonight by the Marconi wireless telegraph company: The German army administration reports in the west the allied troops are in retreat between Paris and Verdun, and that the German troops are pursuing them. Paris is empty and the only scene of animation there is around the railway stations, which are filled with thousands of fugitives. The London newspapers do not consider that Paris will defend itself to the utmost.

"In the eastern theater of war the Austrian attack on Lublin continues and the armies commanded by Generals Dank and Auffenberg are still engaged in dispersing the enemy so as to obtain the fullest advantage from their glorious victories at Krasnik and Zamosz.

"These victories, which were achieved after three days of bitter fighting resulted in the flight of the enemy. The Russian advance on Lemberg has been brought to a halt.

MOVEMENT AGAINST WARSAW

"Further important developments are imminent. The first Polish legion under Austrian command has been forced at Cracow. The emperor has appointed General Vojaczinski to command this force. Warsaw is being prepared for defense by the Russians.

"It is reported that fear of the German fleet has caused great alarm in English seaport towns. In Harlepool torpedo nets are set in front of the docks every evening. Elsewhere around the coast the nervousness occasioned by the German mines is said to be indescribable.

"The enrollment of recruits for the British army is proceeding slowly. From one town of 700,000 inhabitants not more than 100 men reported themselves, the majority of them being tramps. The nation has not been permitted to learn the real situation at the seat of war."

PRESIDENT WILL NOT MAKE CAMPAIGN SPEECHES

More Important to Remain at Capital During War

CONGRESS RECORD Will Speak for Itself as An Appeal to Voters

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—President Wilson announced today he would not make a speaking tour during the coming campaign. He declared his intention of staying on the job, because of the "unfettered for international situation."

"The President made known his intention in a letter to Representative Doremus of Michigan, chairman of the Democratic Congressional committee, who had written him asking whether he would make a speaking campaign this fall. The correspondence was made public at the White House today.

"America is greater than any party," the President wrote. "America cannot be properly served by any man who for a moment measures his interest against her advantage. The time has come for great things. These are days big for destiny for the United States as for the other nations of the world. A little wisdom, a little courage, a little self-sacrificing devotion, and the world will be a better place. Parties will fare well enough without nursing ill the men who make them up. The people will take care of themselves to serve a cause and set a great people forward on the path of liberty and peace."

May Issue Statements.

"Despite his determination to make no speeches, Wilson will 'take occasion' as opportunity offers to state and perhaps re-state to the people in the clearest and most convincing terms the things which the Democratic party has attempted to do."

The President asked that Congress "remain to do their work of necessary and pressing service and bring it to a successful conclusion." He said, however, that he saw nothing to keep Congress in session after the emergency work was finished.

The President had been asked to speak in Iowa, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Maine and other states. He had previously told those who asked him that he would make no promises until he saw what the general situation was. His letter follows:

Wilson's Letter.

"White House, September 4, 1914.

"My Dear Mr. Doremus:

"I have read your letter of September 1, with a keen appreciation of its importance. It appeals to me as the leader of the party now in power, with peculiar force and persuasiveness. The close of a very extraordinary emergency, if Congress were free to engage ourselves for the purpose, we would be warranted in now directing our energies to a great campaign in support of an appeal to the country to give us the endorsement of its endorsement at the autumn elections. Convincing Record.

"We could go to the country with a very sincere appeal in which there need be no pretense or boast of any kind, but a plain statement of things actually accomplished, which ought to be, and I think, would be, entirely convincing. It is a record which shows us at peace with all the world; the questions which plague business with doubt and uncertainty and irresolution; the questions of the way, thoughtfully settled and disposed of; the apparent antagonism between government and business cleared away and brought to an end with the plain reckoning accomplished; the path for sure-footed adjustment clear ahead of us, prosperity certain to come by means which all can approve and applaud.

"Moreover, there is a program of another kind ahead of us to which it is inspiring to look forward—a program free from debate, except as to the best means by which to accomplish what all desire. The great questions immediately ahead of us are the building up of our merchant marine with all that that means in the development and diversification of our foreign commerce and the systematic conservation and economic use of our national resources, subjects which have not hitherto acted upon. There are other great pieces of constructive legislation waiting to be done to which we could turn our attention without any controversy except as to the time for its passage."

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Day In War Area

The allied armies defending the roads to Paris again have come into contact with the German right wing on the banks of the River Grand Morin, which runs east and west, somewhat south of the Paris line.

An official statement issued by the French war office says the allied advance troops came into touch with the German forces, which seem to be covering on the River Oise, towards the southwest the movement of the main body of the German right wing and a small engagement resulted in an advantage to the French.

The town of Maubeuge, where it is reported British troops are assisting the French garrison is said to be still resisting the German assault.

From Berlin, by way of Amsterdam, comes the report that the Germans are attacking the forts at Nancy, and that Emperor William and the general staff are watching the operations.

The British official war information bureau has issued a long general survey of the operations of the British army during the past week, and in addition, a list of British casualties, which shows a total of more than 15,000 men up to September 1. The statement, which is based on a report from Field Marshal Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces at the front, speaks highly of the spirit of the British soldiers and their achievements. It declares that while the British losses are heavy, they are not one-third of the losses inflicted by the British troops on the Germans. The statement closes with a call for more men.

Berlin reports that 3,000 British prisoners have reached Dohert.

A bombardment has begun of the fortifications at Cattin, an Austrian seaport, by the French fleet, and advice from Cattin credit the Montenaprin troops with the defeat of the Austrians at Haljanitz in Herzegovina.

France is calling out the 1815 recruits, and in this way will add 200,000 men to her forces within a few months.

The German Reichstag, represented by members of all parties, has promised its full support to whatever measures the minister of marine deems necessary. Appropriations will be made for the replacement of the ships which have been lost and to carry out the program of construction already arranged.

A British steamer of the Wilson line with hundreds of passengers ahead has foundered in the North Sea, after striking a mine. Most of those aboard were saved.

Russian official announcements describe a strong offensive movement against the Austrians on September 4. The Forty-fifth Austrian regiment of infantry surrendered, 1,600 men being taken.

German troops marching to the aid of the Austrians, were attacked, but the result of these operations have not been made known.

A German official statement says the allied troops are in retreat between Paris and Verdun and that German troops are pursuing them. It adds that in the eastern theater of war, the Austrian attack on Lublin continues and that the Austrians are engaged in dispersing the Russians.

Late notices say that the train service between Paris and Dieppe has been suspended.

BATTLE LINE NOW FAR TO SOUTHEAST OF FRENCH CAPITAL

Maubeuge Continues Its Resistance to German Assault == Officials Claim They Are Satisfied

PARIS, Sept. 6, 11:16 p. m.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"First—The allied armies have again come into contact on our left wing, under good conditions, with the right wing of the enemy on the banks of the Grand Morin.

"Second—Fighting continues on the center and right in Lorraine and the Vosges. The situation remains unchanged.

"Third—Around Paris, the engagement begun yesterday between the allied army and the bank of the advance guard of the German right has extended. We have advanced to the River Oise without great resistance.

"The situation of the allied armies appears good as a whole.

"Fourth—Maubeuge continues its heroic resistance."

WAR BULLETINS

GENEVA, via Paris, Sept. 7, 3 a. m.—News has reached here that early Sunday morning a German aeroplane dropped three bombs on Belgium, falling on the Red Cross hospital, and injuring three wounded soldiers. The other bombs did no harm.

PARIS, Sept. 6, 6:24 p. m.—A Havas agency dispatch from Petrograd says that the Novoe Vremya has received a message from Tokyo stating that the British destroyer Wolford has sunk several German torpedo boats.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 6, (by way of London, 4:25 p. m.)—The Russians fired on and captured near Zeila, a Zeppelin aircraft with its thirty occupants, including two staff officers and two gunners, together with explosives, plans and photographs. The Russians also brought down an aeroplane in which was an Austrian colonel. During the last few days, 130 Austrian officers and 7,000 men, prisoners of war, have passed through Minsk, enroute for Smolensk.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The light cruiser Pathfinder of the British navy has been blown up by a mine in the North Sea. The loss of life is not definitely known. The paymaster, Sydney W. Finch, was killed, and the commander, Francis M. Leake, was wounded. Six junior officers and two petty officers are missing.

LONDON, Sept. 6, 11:43 p. m.—Information reached Dover tonight that the French army is advancing on Chateau Thierry and to the east of that place. The French army is reported to be marching south and on the west of the Argonne, between Suippes and Ville Juif. All these points were reached by the Germans on September 3.

BORDEAUX, Sept. 6, 4:20 p. m.—The following official notice was issued today:

"The official list of young men of France due to join the army in 1915 will be published not later than September 20. The usual period of mourning between the publication and the presentation of the recruits is by decree shortened to ten days.

"As a consequence about 25,000 men will be added to the French army by September 30. It is expected they will take the field in a few months."

POPE CROWNED IN SISTINE CHAPEL

Receives American Cardinals in Private Audience

ROME, Sept. 6.—The coronation of Pope Benedict XV took place today in the Sistine chapel. The ceremony was imposing in its solemnity. The Sistine chapel was used for the occasion in order to avoid pomp during the war. The entire pontifical court, members of the Roman aristocracy and the family of the pontiff were present.

The scene with Pope Benedict seated in the Sistine chapel, preceded by the bearers of the triple crown and flanked by the bearers of the celebratory banner, and six cardinals in their full vestments, was a striking one. When the ceremony ended, the Pope was received with loud acclamations by those present.

Later in the day Pope Benedict received successfully in private audience Cardinal Gibbons, Purley and O'Connell, who presented their suites and some American friends.

Troops Salute.

The entire armed corps of the Holy See saluted the passage of the procession which was formed in the Pope's apartments, and then proceeded to the Pauline chapel, where the Adoration of the Holy Sacrament was celebrated. In the procession were high dignitaries of the papal court, patriarchs, archbishops and Oriental bishops.

From the Pauline chapel, the procession moved to the Sistine chapel, where a mass was said. After the indulgent, the sub-deacon placed the mantle on the arm of the Pope, who sat down while the cardinals of the diocese of Rome recited the coronation prayer.

The Pope then mounted the altar and a cardinal placed the pallium on his shoulders. At this moment Benedict received the last Adoration of the cardinals, bishops and abbots. Then he read the Introit, intoned the Gloria and resumed his seat on the throne.

ZAPATA DEMANDS LAND CONFISCATION

Bandit Threatens to Make Trouble for Carranza Yet

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 6.—An official statement issued today by General Carranza's secretary, says the demand of Emiliano Zapata, the rebel leader, that the first chief of the Constitutionalist submit to the plan of Ayala as the price of peace, is not acceptable to General Carranza.

The statement says General Carranza was appointed by a convention of generals and cannot resign his power in favor of Zapata. Furthermore, it is declared the plan of Guadalupe calls for agrarian reforms, not only in the state of Morelos, but throughout the republic. Zapata and his leaders are invited to meet in general convention, October 1, when plans of reform will be designated.

The only difference in the plan of Ayala and the plan of Guadalupe, lies in the method of redistributing lands. The former plan calls for confiscation, while that of Guadalupe would acquire land by purchase.

RELIEF FUNDS ARE RAISED IN SOUTH

British and Germans Both Subscribe to War Funds

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 6.—Los Angeles raised \$3,072 in a few minutes for the Prince of Wales fund tonight at a mass meeting. Many contributions were from housewives and shop girls, who pledged from 25 cents up to a fifth of their wages during the war. Larger subscriptions made previous to the meeting make the total amount pledged \$12,000.

A German patriotic meeting tonight raised \$1,067 for the German Red Cross.

Twenty-five Frenchmen were started on their way to join their country's army today by Louis Benemer, French Consul. Forty-two men were sent provisionally.

FORESTS BURN IN SAN BERNARDINO

SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 6.—Two bad mountain fires in Lytle and Cajon creeks and at Job's peak, threaten to jump the fire lines established by Forest Supervisor R. H. Charlton and Ranger Switzer and their 350 volunteer aides. A hundred and fifty more men left here late today to strengthen the force.

A small lumber mill, much good timber, and a thousand boxes of apples in orchards were destroyed and the Job's peak fire is headed for the heavy timber at Sugar Pine. Campers are being pressed into service by the forestry men.

RACE RIOTS IN NEW YORK CITY

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Sept. 6.—An alleged attempt by American Indians to break up a meeting of Indians and Poles tonight led to a series of riots which assumed such proportions that the police had to be summoned. Twenty-one persons were arrested.

American Newspaper Correspondents Deny German Cruelty Tales

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The Associated Press has received by wireless from Berlin a message which follows. It was sent from Aix-la-Chapelle to Berlin for transmission. The authors, all of whom are well-known American newspaper men, were originally assigned in Brussels, and when that city was taken, they were returned to Aix-la-Chapelle, whence they have been endeavoring to reach London, but without success. The telegram was partly mutilated by accident, and certain words are missing, but the text here given is clearly that intended by the authors:

"In spirit we unite in rendering (sic) German atrocities, groundless, as far as we are able to see. After spending two weeks with and about Nancy, and upward of 100 miles, we are unable to report a single instance unprovoked. We are also unable to confirm rumors of mistreatment of prisoners or of non-combatants with the German columns. This is true of Lotharing, Brussele, Louvillie and Nancy, and in Prussian hands. We visited Chateau Sambre, Sambre and Beaumont without substantiating a single wanton brutality. Numerous investigated rumors proved groundless. Everywhere we have seen Germans paying for purchases and respecting property rights as well as according civilian every consideration.

"After the battle of Rasse (probably Rasse) a suburb of Nancy, we found Belgian women and children moving comfortably about. The day after the Germans captured the town, the Marquis Chateau, we found one citizen killed, but were unable to confirm stories of atrocities were unable to supply direct evidence. Believers in the Sambre valley discredited reports of cruelty in the surrounding districts. The discipline of the German soldier is excellent and we observed. To the truth of these statements we pledge our professional and personal word.

"Roger Lewis, The Associated Press; Irvin S. Cobb, Saturday Evening Post; Philadelphia Public Ledger; Harry Hanson, Chicago Daily News; James O'Donnell Bennett, and John T. McCutcheon, Chicago Tribune."

Russians Now in Rear of Germans in France

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Russian troops to the number of 150,000 have passed through England and are now at the rear of the German army in France, according to Vance Thompson, an American writer, who arrived here today on the Red Star liner Kronland, which sailed from Liverpool, August 28.

On that day, Mr. Thompson says, he saw detachments of Cossacks on their way to the channel ports and learned that the British government had suspended the regular train service, in order to give the Russians the right of way. He added that he could say from reliable authority, that 150,000 Russians had already crossed the channel and were now probably attacking the German rear, while it was understood that thousands more were on their way from Archangel by the Arctic ocean route to England.

Passengers on several steamers from England recently have reported a movement of Russian troops through the British Isles to the continent.

Russians Already Crossing Carpathians Into Hungary

PETROGRAD, Sept. 6.—The Russian general staff tonight issued the following official communication:

"Along the whole of the Austrian line the Russian troops on September 4 proceeded with an energetic offensive movement. The Austrian center suffered most from the Russian attack. In the region west of Krasnyastaw the Austrian Forty-fifth regiment of infantry, which had been completely surrounded, was forced to a man to surrender, together with its commanding officer and forty-four officers—in all 1,600 men.

"The German division which was marching to help the Austrians, was attacked on the left bank of the Viattula river. Russian troops have occupied the Stry river region.

"The Russian cavalry already is among the passes of the Carpathian mountains. On the East Prussian front, we have had nothing but slight skirmish, which are without significance.

"Another official communication issued under date of September 4, says: "The Russians have commenced a general offensive movement between the Viattula and Bug rivers. The Austrians did not expect a vigorous offensive at Lemberg and hoped to resist it."

"The Russians estimate that they seized a year's provisions there." The Galician prisoners at Lemberg were set at liberty. The Czechs have refused to march against the Slavs.

"Wounded returning to Petrograd, say the Germans in their fighting rely mainly upon artillery and give way before bayonet attacks."

BRITISH REVIEW WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

LONDON, Sept. 6, 3 p. m.—The operations of the British army in France last week are reviewed in a statement issued by the official war information bureau today. The statement reads:

"It now is possible to make another general survey in continuation of that issued August 20, of the operations of the British army during the past week.

"No new main line of strength has been taken place. There have indeed, been battles on various parts of the immense front which the general movement has been considered operations of the first importance. But in the war, they are merely incidents of strategic withdrawal and continuation of the allied forces caused by the initial shock on the front and in Belgium and by the enormous strength which the Germans have thrown into the western theater while suffering heavily through weakness in the east.

In Harmony With French.

"The British expeditionary force has continued with the general movement of the French forces and acted in harmony with the strategic conceptions of the French general staff. Since the battle at Cambrai on August 26, where the British troops successfully guarded the left flank of the whole line of French armies from a deadly surprise attack supported by an enormous force, the Seventh French army has come into operation on the British left.

"This, in conjunction with the Fifth army on our right, has greatly taken the wind and pressure off our left."

"The Fifth French army in particular, on August 29, advanced from the line of the Oise river to meet and counter the German forward movement, and a considerable battle developed in the town of Guise. In this, the Fifth French army gained a marked and solid success, driving back with heavy loss and in disorder, three German army corps—the Tenth, the guard and a reserve corps. It is stated that the commander of the Fourth German army corps was among those killed.

Retirement Continues.

"In spite of this success, however, and all the benefits which followed from it, the general retirement to the south con-

tinued and the German armies, seeking persistently after the British troops, remained in practically continuous contact with our rear guard.

"During the whole of this period, marching and fighting have been continuous and in the whole period the British casualties, according to the latest estimates, have amounted to about 15,000 officers and men.

"The fighting, having been in open order, and on a wide front, with repeated retreats, has led to large number of officers and men, and even small parties, losing their way and getting separated. It is known that a very considerable number of those now included in the total will regain the column safely.

"These losses, if heavy in so small a force, have in no wise affected the spirit of the troops. They do not amount to one-third of the losses inflicted by the British forces upon the enemy and the sacrifice required of the army has not been out of proportion to its military achievements.

19,000 More Troops.

"Drains of 19,000 have reached our army or are approaching the men on the line of communication, and advantage has been taken of the five quiet days that have passed since the action on September 1, to fill up the gaps and rest and consolidate the units.

"The British army is now south of the Marne and is in line with the French forces on the right as well as the left.

"The latest information about the enemy is that they are neglecting Paris and are marching in a southeasterly direction toward the Marne and toward the left and center of the French lines. The first German army is reported to be between Le Perre-Sous-Jourais and Effisnes-Buffort.

"The second German army, after taking the line, is advancing on Chateau Thierry and to the east of that place. The German army is reported to be marching south and on the west of the Argonne, between Suippes and Ville Juif. All these points were reached by the Germans on September 3."

Germans Repulsed.

"The seventh German army has been repulsed by a French corps near Oenville. It would, therefore, appear that the developing movement on the Anglo-French left flank has been abandoned by the Germans because it was no longer practicable to continue such a great extension or because the alternative to a direct attack upon the allied lines is preferred.

"Whether this change of plan by the Germans is voluntary or whether it has been forced upon them by the strategic situation and the great strength of the allied armies in their front will be revealed by the course of events.

"There is no doubt whatever that our men have established a personal ascendancy over the Germans—and they are conscious of the fact that with anything like even numbers, the result would not be doubtful. The shooting of the British rifle fire has devastated the German front of attack that has presented itself.

Against Superior Numbers.

"Their superior training and intelligence have enabled the British soldiers to use the open formation with effect and thus cope with the vast numbers employed by the enemy. The cavalry, who have even opportunities for displaying personal prowess and address, have definitely established their superiority. The German troops will not face our infantry fire. As regards the artillery, they never have been opposed by less than three or five times their numbers.

"The following incidents have been mentioned: During the action at Lechnaumont on August 28, all the officers and men of one of the British batteries had been killed or wounded with the exception of one subaltern and two gunners. These continued to serve one gun and kept a sound raking fire up and came out unharmed from the battlefield.

Dashed Right Through.

"On another occasion a portion of a supply column was cut off by a detachment of German cavalry. The officer in charge was summoned to surrender. He refused and started the motor off at full speed, dashed safely through, losing only two lorries.

"It is noted that during a rear-guard action of the guards brigade on Sep-

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GOSPEL THEMES IN FRESNO CHURCHES

Popular Control Needed in Many American Industries

Rev. F. B. Cowgill of First Methodist Church Delivers Labor Day Sermon to Union Men



Rev. F. B. Cowgill.

The Democratic Control of Industry, was taken as the theme in the labor day sermon by Rev. F. B. Cowgill, the pastor of the First Methodist church, last evening. A large delegation of union men were present, some of whom attended in a body, and with the large number of church members and visitors the building was packed to the doors.

Dr. Cowgill selected as his text, "Ye are brethren," from Matthew 23:8 and said in part:

The fatherhood of God implies the brotherhood of man, and that implies sympathy and cooperation. Long before Christ came, the prophet Isaiah summed up the obligations of religion by saying, "Ye shall love the Lord your God, ye shall love your neighbor as yourselves, and ye shall love the stranger as yourselves." The law of Moses said, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and thy neighbor as thyself." Jesus reformed this law into obligation and declared that the whole system of law and prophecy rests upon it.

Christ's Doctrine.
The literature of freedom, whether in ancient Italy and Greece, or in modern Europe and America, has no eloquence more hot with denunciation of oppression and injustice than the revelations of Jesus. Government of the people, by the people, for the people, has no foundation more sure than the foundation laid by Christianity in its doctrine of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. To this test every government must be brought at last.

Every injustice infringes the law of brotherhood. Governments approach perfection as they approximate justice and mercy in their treatment of men. Our fathers meant this when in their declaration of independence they affirmed that "All men are created free and equal and endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, among which are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, and that to secure these rights governments are instituted among men deriving their just power from the consent of the governed."

Christian Theory.
A just and Christian theory of society requires these things: That every capable person should serve society according to his ability in some capacity and station. That he should obtain a just recompense for his toil; that he who is unwilling to work should be compelled to do so; that a practical and efficient system should be maintained by which the laborer should be able to secure for himself and his family a comfortable and secure living; that the government should be so organized that it should be able to protect the rights of the individual, the aged, and all incapable persons should be kindly cared for.

If you look beyond the superficialities of history you will find that business questions and economic stress and wrong are at the bottom of the resolutions that have shaken down empires and kingdoms, and that the struggles of humanity are very largely struggles for economic justice and industrial freedom. I do not imply that race and social and religious questions have not been factors in the world's unrest and political revolution, but the decisive, crucial conditions have over and over been industrial and economic.

Lack of Employment.

Recurring now to the proposition

THE NERVES AND THEIR NEEDS

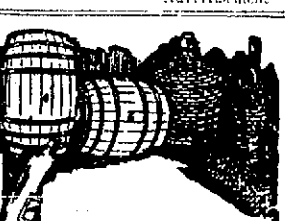
We do not give much thought to our nervous system when it is working all right, but when it goes wrong nature has a way of calling it forcibly to our attention that we cannot overlook—pain.

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the interests of all the people including the laborer, organized and unorganized. I am convinced that organized labor can not be depended on to protect the rights of unorganized labor and of the great masses of the people, including also the capitalist, who are not organized. The old labor fair doctrine, as it was called, which said, "Let things alone; they will work themselves out all right; the less political meddling the better," however orthodox it may once have been, is economical heresy now. I am convinced that more and more political action and legislative control are going to be necessary to preserve order and secure justice in the industrial world.

One has only to glance at party platforms and political and legislative programs in this or any other country to be convinced of this. We are talking more and more about business, administration and legislation in municipal, state and national.

Public Ownership.
I do not know how far public ownership and control of industry will go or ought to go. I wish to see it go just as fast and just as far as it needs to go in order to secure the rights of the average man and woman to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." I wish to see it go just as far as it needs to go in order to secure to every worker a fair and reasonable share of the products of universal toil, but then this I hope it will not go.

I hope that the democratic control and the public ownership of public utilities will never go so far as to take away from the individual in society the initiative and the freedom necessary to give society the fruits of his individual genius in a task and an achievement suited to his individuality. I think we may trust that God through democracy will lead us on to a proper individual and social destiny.

During the course of his sermon, Rev. Cowgill read the following in speaking of the interests of the laborer in the cause of the labor movement:

Principles adopted by the federal council in Chicago, December 9, 1912.
"The churches must stand:
1. For equal rights and complete justice for all men and women of life; 2. For the protection of the family; 3. For the single standard of purity; 4. For the fullest possible development of every child, especially by the provision of proper education and recreation; 5. For the abolition of child labor; 6. For such regulation of the conditions of toil for women as shall safeguard the physical and moral health of the community; 7. For the abolition and prevention of poverty; 8. For the protection of the individual and society from the social, economic and moral waste of the liquor traffic; 9. For the protection of the worker from dangerous machinery, occupational diseases and mortality; 10. For the right of all men to the opportunity for self-maintenance, for safeguarding this right against encroachments of every kind and for the protection of workers from the hardships of enforced unemployment; 11. For suitable provision for the old age of the workers; and for those incapacitated by injury; 12. For the right of employees and employers alike to organize and for adjustment of all industrial disputes; 13. For a release from employment one day in seven; 14. For the gradual reasonable reduction of the hours of labor to the lowest practical point; and for that degree of leisure for all which is consistent with the highest human life; 15. For a wage as a minimum in every industry and for the highest wage that each industry can afford; 16. For a new emphasis upon the application of Christian principles to the acquisition and use of property, and for the most equitable distribution of the product of industry that can ultimately be devised."

Prof. Adams. The statement of an English writer, Mr. Bowdler, that apart from unemployment, low wages, account for half the cases of "primary poverty." The apparent rise of wages in this generation is not, in every case, a real rise in wages; the real wages are measured, not by the number of dollars, but by what so many dollars will buy of the things demanded by modern and rising standards of living. These things are going down, and wages are some things going down where they seem to be going up. As you develop the intellect and sensibilities of a people you make other things necessary to their comfortable existence besides food and clothing and shelter. You need books and pictures and music and tasteful apparel necessary to human comfort. Those who are raising the standards of living by their somewhat ostentatious display of luxuries and elegances have no right to cry down the demands of the laborer for many of these same things for his wife and children.

Needs of Workmen.

Competent commissions have carefully figured out that a laboring man's family of five or six persons in New York of Chicago actually needs for proper care of his family. Prof. Adams figures out that in 1900, the 4,196,271 adult male workers in the factories of the United States received an average of \$491 per year. He considers it an assumption that one has to live on less than \$490 a year and believes that one-half of them received less than \$438. Another investigator, Mr. Hunter, says that doubtless a majority of the unskilled workers in the northern states receive less than \$450 per year. Mr. Ryan, in his work on "A Living Wage" says that 60 per cent of the male working men in this country do not receive a living wage.

The figures seem to show that the wages of these people are from \$100 to \$400 less than a living wage. At the bottom of our manufacturing system are the victims of the sweat shop, whose conditions are wretched beyond description and ten years ago an Illinois factory inspector declared that Chicago alone had 60,000 in the three sweated industries of garment making, cigar making and bakeries.

These facts mean that while our vast resources and our mechanic arts and inventions have made the industry of the American people fruitful beyond all example in the history of the world, our distributing of the products of universal toil is so imperfect, and unjust that half the male working men of our country fail to get what may be fairly estimated as a living wage.

Cause of Conditions.

Let us glance at tendencies in the industrial world that have brought about these conditions which we all deplore. To put it briefly, for more than a century there has been going on a revolution in the method of producing and transporting goods, largely through the use of the power plant and the factory system. The factory system is a new thing in the history of the world, and its distribution of the products of universal toil is so imperfect, and unjust that half the male working men of our country fail to get what may be fairly estimated as a living wage.

Master Builder and His Works

—North Side Christian.

Charles Laurant, Master Builder, preached for the first time since his vacation at the North Side church, yesterday morning on the subject "The Master Builder."

Using for a text Hebrews 3:1, "He that built all things is God." He said in part:

It is most discouraging and exasperating to see some person try to destroy an object upon which you have spent much time. You quickly resent having your neighbor's dog or chickens scratch up your garden or flowers. The mind is naturally revolted against certain intricate pieces of wood or metal being so carelessly handled by a person who has no sense of the value of the material.

The Master Builder is God. Every planet in the universe, every object upon the earth, flower, tree, bird, glittering gem and rainbow-tinted drop of water were made by the God who created man. But all of these are but the material furnished us by the Master Builder in order that we may build.

And what a wonderful building each person can construct by carefully following the plan of the Master.

In the little body of each normal child God has delivered all the material for constructing a splendid body. I stand and watch with admiration a force of expert workmen building a towering structure of steel and stone and lumber, but with how much more wonder I watch the unfolding of a human life. All the material in the body, mind and soul ought to be used. That cruel, brutal man arrested for beating his patient horse was a clumsy workman who filled the place in his heart intended for love with selfishness. Such people remind me of an old lady in the middle West who inherited a fortune and did not know what to do with the money. She built a big house and permitted a decorator and some merchants to furnish it. When she saw the music room with only a piano in it she said to her maid, "I ordered a big bed placed in the room. If God gives a room in the heart for the taste of love and sympathy, it is his duty to place hatred and suspicion there."

The Master Builder saw how poorly

men used the materials he had given them. The Jews had a legal selfishness with their religious privileges. The Greeks had spent so much time in developing beautiful bodies and philosophical minds that they had left the soul in a room in which to starve. The Romans had been so busy trying to discover how to live without working that they had murdered and forgotten they had a soul. No amateur watchmaker ever wrought as much damage to a delicate watch as the men of this old earth were producing on the human race.

Then God, the Master Builder, sent Christ to teach us that developing the mind and body while neglecting the soul produces a monstrosity. That the mind, body and soul can be and should be symmetrically developed. The result is a man or woman of marvelous character. They have great power for others, a tender sympathy, and are willing to sacrifice much that others may be happy. They remember that God made all things and saw that the work was good, and in like manner they bend to their labor with joy and cease not until they can say it is well done.

If men would only follow the instructions of the Master Builder, the result would be no more war, no more an array of brother against brother, no more hungry children, no more sweatshops, no more reeking districts, no more run-holes. These are all destructive agencies. God would have men build up, not tear down. To follow the plan of God means happy homes, schools, hospitals and church buildings, and old people happy and human weakness stretched bleakly beyond.

The plans of the Master Builder are easily understood. We lay our foundation on the rock which is Christ. We confess our faith in Him as the Son of God and our Saviour. The next step, we are told, is to repent of our sins and be baptized. Now we are ready to begin the reconstruction of our character according to the plan given us in the Bible. Swiftly the hours go speeding by and soon the evening shadows fall across our day's labor. Then the Master Builder comes to inspect the work and we hear Him say: "Well done, thou faithful servant, enter into the joys of thy Lord."

Shall Money or Morals Prevail?
—Union Park Services.

The final union park services under the auspices of the Fresno Ministerial Union, representing practically all of the evangelical churches in Fresno, were held last night under the charge of Rev. W. D. Bost. The program consisted of hymns and solos. Open air union meetings have been conducted on Sunday evenings in the Courthouse Park during the summer months. This is a custom that is observed every year.

Mrs. Bridget C. H. Washburn, who spoke on "Money or Morals—Which?" is a national lecturer and organizer for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, came to Fresno under the auspices of the local union. The sermon was preceded by a musical program consisting of hymns and solos. Open air union meetings have been conducted on Sunday evenings in the Courthouse Park during the summer months. This is a custom that is observed every year.

No true religion has ever uttered more than that by Paul, a man of broad intellect, of wide experience among men and nations, a man of culture and staunchest Christian of history; a man of wealth and prominent position who forsook all and labored with his own hands that he might advance a righteous, but unpopular cause. It was he who said in summing up the principles to stand for and the evils to avoid, "For the love of money is the root of all kinds of evil."

Never, said the speaker, has a war been precipitated, to devastate a nation and trench her soil with human blood, that did not owe its origin to the same brutal instinct of the human heart which called for slavery.

The reason today that California and the nation are engaged in the fiercest, bloodiest struggle of right against wrong, of those who, on the one hand, would see this great commonwealth free from the terrible tyranny of alcoholic liquors, with all its burden of human wreckage, and on the other, the ones, who because of their selfish greed, have become blinded to the best interests of their fellow-men, their nation and the God, is the love of money has caused this nation, this state and this city to go into partnership with the liquor business.

This co-partnership and the shakels that fill our coffers as the result of it, blind the eyes, cloud the consciences, and pervert the judgment of men in official position, in business, in office, in workshop, in the church itself. Now is fulfilled in the day of this high Christian civilization the words of the prophet Isaiah: "But they also have closed their eyes, lest they should see, and have shut their hearts, lest they should understand, and have stopped their ears, lest they should hear."

The priest and the prophet have erred through strong drink, they are swallowed up of wine, they are out of the way through strong drink; they have vision, they stumble in judgment."

The revenue received from the liquor business has made it a powerful, corrupting influence in politics. It dominates our civic and national policies and degrades and debauches our citizenship. It has made it humiliating to note the fact that the wine men, the brewer's association, the Royal Arch—none of them have any plea for their business except from the corrupt point of view of the money they have invested in it or the revenue or political influence to be received from it.

Shining on American manhood that has no higher ideal for individual or national prosperity.

Newton Lynch of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce recently said, "The ultimate value is the human value." The real assets of California are not her minerals, not her agricultural products, not her gold mines, not her broad fields nor her fine harbors. The real assets are her citizens, both of the present and the future, and anything which debauches her people must be destroyed, no matter how sweet to the taste or how pleasant to the eye.

Only three per cent of the population of California are engaged directly and indirectly in the wine business, and if three per cent of our people were to drop out tomorrow with all their property, the great state, wonderful in her resources, would move on unharmed.

Already through Sonoma and Napa counties the vineyards are being set aside. Some of these vines are already three to five years old, and when I inquired the reason I was told that some grapes have not paid any profits and are a dead weight on the vineyard. A fruit man from Chowchilla told me a year ago that where the physicians destroy the vines some years ago and the

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Some Causes of War in Europe

—First Unitarian.

In the First Unitarian church the pastor, Rev. W. D. Bost, yesterday morning spoke on "Spiritual Determination," in his relation to the present great European conflict. He declared economic determinism is operating at the bottom of the war and leads the nations to continue their carnage, while the spiritual attitude of the race only encourages the people to give a natural expression of their beliefs in the prophecies of the Bible and rush into wars.

He said, in part:

As one views the hideous carnage which is sweeping Europe and comprehends, though faintly, the magnitude and melancholy of such a state of affairs, he feels that he must make another investigation of civilization and discover whether, after all, the race is as far along as had been believed. The crisis of international amity has vanished into thin air and the wilderness of barbarism and human weakness stretches bleakly beyond.

Patriotism is a peculiar thing, and as complex as human nature. We are informed that the potentates of the several nations have invoked God for the successful conclusion of this campaign. National individuality, one may say, lies at the basis of the matter. The superficial one, merely, the hastiness of men. And, to a certain extent, this is just and right. Every nation which has in its unique contributions to civilization ought, like the individual human, to be given the right to carry its career to a logical conclusion. The case, for example, of Japan, there are certain peculiar excellencies in the people of that nation and in the institutions of that nation which make it of interest to every other nation to assist Japan in fulfilling her destiny as a peculiar people. Likewise with every nation, could the whole race realize it.

How different is the picture which reality puts before us! Careful analysis of the conditions brings home the conviction that the border lines of Europe are not in accordance with the natural lines of spiritual and racial cleavage, but that force has been the heritage handed down from the Medo-Babylon and Napoleonic wars, and the only criterion of moment which had any great effect was the commercial and economic interest.

National culture, language, literature, individually—all these have been set aside in the present distribution of lands in Europe, so that there has been a confusion of tongues, and the natural unrest which has culminated in this horrible struggle.

Economic determinism, that principle which operates among men when they become so obsessed with the just for gain that they are but puppets in the hands of environment, is at the bottom, then, of this situation. More directly, other determining forces which owe their power to the economic urge, have been at work to bring on this conflict. And it is at this juncture that we may mention what we set out to discuss, namely, spiritual determinism. By this term I suggested the spiritual attitude of a race, which is the product of tradition and education and religion. By way of example, one might speak of the spiritual attitude of the race of the Jew, or of the spiritual attitude of the race of the American.

For the sake of financial and political security our universities go slowly in expounding the scientific criticism of the Bible and of the book mentioned. And the very fact that this book is thought of as something which is natural for the mass of believers in the book to carry out its apparently bestial. This is a species of fatalism. Superstition, they feel that there must be wars and rumors of wars; and straightforwardly they set out to fulfill the prophecy. Spiritual influences in the form of the still obtaining superstition in the national attitude toward the Bible can be blamed to some extent for the conditions that have scandalized a modern world.

The notion of a despotic God has had not a little to do with the spiritual backing for this world mistake. The tribal God, Jehovah, of the children of Israel was not more provincial and narrow in His caprices than the God to whom Europe bows down today. "Theology," you say, "is a comparatively insignificant matter! Religion is the great consideration!" Not so! Consider, if you will, the nameless crimes and misdeeds committed in the name of religion having a false theology.

How different from the present times would have been this hour had the nations learned that God is a constructive principle of justice, love and mercy, who cares not for Jew more than Greek, and whose law is for all nations and peoples. For indeed, this medieval notion of divine right of kings has made it possible for one man to be too powerful in the case of at least three European nations.

What shall be the solution? Education must be invoked through school, church and politics to deny the divine right to ecclesiastical, temporal and economic kings. And men must at first in education, through school, church and politics, the principle of democracy. That man is the ruler of his own destiny, that he must tear the bandage from his own eyes, hurt from its throne privilege in all its manifestations and demonstrate that there is but one divine right, which is the divine right of humanity!

Wanted Men for Service
—Calva Methodist.

The Boys' Conference Club of the Y. M. C. A. had charge of the services in the Calva Methodist church last night with "Wanted Men for Service" as the theme of the evening. The pastor, D. A. Allen, gave the boys full charge and several spoke.

The names of the speakers and the particular division of the subject discussed followed in the following order: Business, Ramsey Long, Police, Edward Faddis; Home, Alie Hartlett; Church, Chris Hanson, and Social, G. A. Olsen.

A musical program was given in connection with the services. G. A. Olsen, a student, gave a baritone solo. The Camp

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Russians Give Lie to Reports From Austria

PETROGRAD, via London, Sept. 6, 5:30 p. m.—An official communication issued in reply to statements of Berlin and Vienna semi-official news agencies that the Austrians were victorious over the Russians in the district of Zimere and Tschelchowsky, says:

"The Russian official agency is authorized to declare that the Russian troops, who since August 21 have maintained an incessant offensive against the enemy in the district between the Vistula and Bug rivers, completely defeated on August 25, the Fifteenth Austrian division, and that up to September 4, continuing their operations in that direction, had captured three flags, twenty-three guns, eighteen machine guns, two aeroplanes, 150 officers and 12,000 soldiers.

"Since September 4, having broken the resistance of the Austrians, our troops have been continuing their offensive toward the south.

All reports concerning alleged victories of General von Auffenberg, near Zimere and Tschelchowsky, are willful fabrications and intended to lessen the importance of the Russians' success in Galicia, where, in the direction of Lemberg alone, the Russians took rich booty, namely 7000 prisoners, more than 200 guns, 30 locomotives, 150 trucks, and numerous convoys of supplies."

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On September 1, the Germans were seen giving assistance to our wounded.

The weather has been very hot with an almost tropical sun, which has made large marches trying to the soldiers. In spite of this, they look well and hardy, and the horses, in consequence of the amount of hay and corn in the fields, are in excellent condition.

In short, it may be said that the war, so far as it has advanced, has to add to the reputation of British arms and of achieving notable and substantial success. But we must have more men, so as to operate on a scale proportionate to the strength and power of the empire."

BRITISH REVIEW WAR SUCCESSES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The British view of the first month of the war is set forth in the following cablegram received today by the British embassy from the London foreign office:

"At the end of the first month of the war the command of the sea is left unchallenged in the hands of Great Britain and her allies. The main German and Austrian fleets remain in their harbors under shelter of their mines and batteries. Four German cruisers, one auxiliary cruiser, two destroyers and a submarine, and one Austrian cruiser have been sunk. A German dreadnought and a cruiser have fled without fighting and have taken refuge in the Dardanelles. The loss to the British navy has been two light cruisers only.

"As a consequence of this naval supremacy, over 300,000 troops have been able to cross the seas in different parts of the world without the loss of a man. The British expeditionary force has been carried to France, colonial expeditions have been sent to attack the colonies of Germany in Africa, and the Pacific, and the French troops under cover of the combined Anglo-French Mediterranean fleet have been escorted from Algeria to France.

"The resources of the empire under the cover of the British fleet will be fully developed and the armies in Europe will be reinforced by those of Australia, Canada, India and Africa without ceasing. German mercantile marine has disappeared from the oceans, while (passage apparently unimpeded here) in every part of the outlying sea in China, the Pacific and the Atlantic, the German ships have avoided action with British cruisers, preferring to make ineffectual attacks upon unarmed merchant vessels or counter-attacking men of war. Although the German cruisers are still at large, their depredations have been small and they are unable to remain in any port where serious attack could be made on British commerce.

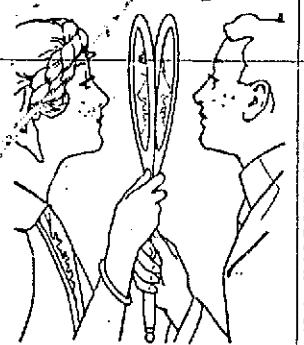
"Strong as the British army is today, there will be an accession of strength within the next twelve months of not less than ten first class ships, fifteen cruisers and twenty destroyers, thus increasing still further the margin of naval superiority in ships of all classes over Germany, who during the same period will add not more than a third of this number to her fleet.

"The prices of commodities have risen very little; there is only a small amount of unemployment, a fund amounting to over 2,000,000 pounds has been voluntarily contributed by the people to meet any distress that may later arise. The financial situation is satisfactory. The British and French armies in France have fought a series of hotly contested engagements.

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TRIO CAUGHT WITH GOODS MAKE ESCAPE

Burglars Drop Suitcases When Surprised in Alley

Three burglars loaded down with suitcases and handbags stolen from the Oberlin store on Tuare street were surprised in the alley between H and I streets shortly after midnight by a watchman of the Farman Detective Agency. The burglars dropped their prizes, dashed into a shed leading into a court to the side of the Oberlin hotel and made their escape.

A squad of patrolmen arrived on the scene immediately and searched the roofs of the buildings, the baggage houses and in the basements, but were unable to find the hand burglars. The manner of escape from the court is a mystery to the police. All of the lock doors leading into the court were found locked by the patrolmen. The burglars had taken to the second floor of the Oberlin hotel, but the burglars were not found in any of the rooms and the night clerk said the men had not passed through the office.

The glass in the rear window at Oberlin's had been broken and the window open. The suitcases and bags were taken to police headquarters. They were full of suits of clothes, underwear, shirts and ties.

GOEHRING'S BROTHERS FIGHT WITH GERMANY

Fresno Receives Word Two Brothers Are Now in France

In a message from his sister in Leiden, Westphalia, Germany, Detective John Goehring of the Fresno police department learned yesterday that his two brothers were fighting with the German army in the southern part of France. Goehring's sister writes that a call has been issued for the last reserves, which means that men up to 45 years of age are being taken into the army to fight for the fatherland. She also writes that the 20 years and up are being mustered into service. The letter was written August 3. Goehring's sister also mentions in her letter that the towns are without men and that the women are crying and anxiously waiting news from the front. Goehring's brother's wife gave birth to a child the day before his brother had to leave for the front.

SPIRITUALISTS CLOSE FOUR-DAY CONVENTION

Devotional Services Mark Final Exercises of Fresno Meeting

The nineteenth annual convention of the California Spiritualists Association came to a close yesterday after a four day session in this city. The session of the California Spiritualists Association opened yesterday with a lecture symposium in charge of Mrs. Jesse Mapes, superintendent of the convention. In her talk she explained the great importance of educating the children along the lines of spiritual unfoldment.

Mr. R. Pike, state vice president, and Mrs. Lora Pike gave personal experiences of their work for disease and urged greatly interest in the organization. Mrs. Anna B. Griffin delivered the message.

In the afternoon Mrs. Mary Vasek, secretary of the state board, delivered the address of the healing work. Messages were given by Mrs. N. J. Winchell, who blindfolded; and by Mrs. Oscar Edgerly and Mrs. F. Nelson.

In the evening a large and attentive audience listened to a most remarkable lecture given by Rev. Oscar Edgerly on the subject "If Spiritualism be True, What Benefit Is It to the World?" He defined spiritualism in its broadest sense as materialism, including in its curriculum all subjects relating to the growth of man. It is founded upon mediumship—a demonstrated fact in nature.

"As education becomes more universal, through this very fact humanity is growing from the materialistic views of their forefathers to the higher idealism," Mr. Edgerly said. "Consequently the cry has gone forth that science is at war with religion, and this is a fact, for science has been becoming agnostic and spiritualism alone meets this contingency. It is the only factor in the world capable of meeting skepticism, atheism and agnosticism."

"An agnostic brought me to face with death appeals in vain to the theologians who can only tell him to have faith," he continued. "Spiritualism alone offers a demonstrated proof. What significance has the tiny ray in the sunset? The only satisfactory answer to the mooted question of the ages is, 'If a man die, shall he live again?'"

Messages were given by Mrs. S. Cowles of Oakland and Mr. Harold Lawrence of Los Angeles. The mediums described with wonderful accuracy the departed friends of the people in the audience and all these messages were recognized as correct.

Transportation. They must also aid the troops.

Assemblages in the streets are forbidden and the ringing of bells is prohibited. Each inhabitant found with arms in his house will be shot and the entire city is held responsible for each individual. The mayor, the cure and four citizens are held by the Germans as hostages.

NINE NEUTRALS SUNK BY MINES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Nine neutral merchant ships have been destroyed by German mines, according to British foreign office's advice to the British embassy here, made public tonight. The message says:

"The following neutral merchant vessels are known by the admiralty to have been destroyed by German mines: In most cases, with loss of life among the crews:

PRESIDENT WILL NOT MAKE ANY CAMPAIGN SPEECHES

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have said, as to the best ways of doing them.

Wants Same Colleagues

"I believe that ways can be found to do these things readily enough if the country will give us its generous support and trust us to do them, and I sincerely hope a genuine pleasure to me to ask to be given again a collection of Congress during the present memorable session. I trust there will be many occasions upon which I may have the privilege of calling the attention of my fellow-countrymen to the time and unselfish service which has been rendered them by their present representatives ready at all times to respond to any appeal which speaks convincingly of the public welfare.

But in view of the unlooked-for international situation, our duty has been taken on an unexpected aspect. Every patriotic man ought to 'stay on his job' until the crisis is passed, and ought to stay where his job can best be done. We must do whatever is necessary and forego whatever is necessary in keeping us in close and active concert, in order to relieve in every possible way the stress and strain put upon our people during the continuance of the present extraordinary conditions. My job, I now know, can be done best only if I devote my whole thought and energy to it, and I think of nothing but the duties of the hour. I am not at liberty and shall not be, so far as I may see, to turn away from those duties to undertake any kind of political canvass.

In the present emergency I am keenly aware of the great responsibility I am called upon to discharge, the responsibility which devolves upon me as President of the United States and the responsibility under which I am laid as leader of a great political party. Of course the whole country will expect of me, I think, nothing but the best. I think I will be furnished Congress can do. But the President cannot, especially in times like these, turn away from his official work even for a little while. Too much depends upon his keeping all the threads of what is occurring in his hands.

Obligations

"I have, therefore, reached the conclusion that I cannot in any ordinary sense take an active part in the approaching campaign; that I must remain here to attend to the serious work upon which the months immediately before us—months that will carry with them obligations, no doubt, of the most tremendous sort. I know that you will feel similarly about your own obligations; that members of Congress, too, without distinction as to party affiliation, will feel that they must remain to do their work of necessary and pressing service and bring it to a successful conclusion.

"I shall, no doubt, take occasion, as opportunity offers, to state and perhaps re-state to the country in the clearest and most convincing terms, I can command, the things which the Democratic party has attempted to do in the settlement of great questions which have for many a long year pressed for solution, and I earnestly hope that they will generously open their minds to what I may have to say; but I shall not allow my eagerness to win their approval of my earnest desire to be granted by their suffrages the support of another Congress to interfere with the daily performance of my official duties or distract my mind from them. The record of the men speaks for itself. The country cannot be deceived concerning it and it will assess it justly. What it chiefly expects and demands and what it will be most sure to see by the performance of duty without fear of favor and without regard to personal considerations.

America's Advantage

"And certainly, this is the time when America expects every man to do his duty without thought of profit or advantage to himself. America is greater than any party. America cannot properly be served by any man who for a moment measures his interest against her disadvantage. The time has come for great things. These are the days big with destiny for the United States. As for the other nations of the world, a little selfishness, a little courage, a little self-sacrifice, devotion, may under God, turn that destiny into a reality. Great hearts great natures, will respond, even little men will respond to be stimulated and excited, and set an heroic example. Parties will be well-served without caring, for the man who seeks them out and the man who leads them forward to service in cause and not a great people forward on the path of liberty and peace."

"Cordially and sincerely yours,"

WOODROW WILSON.

He tonight completes the casualties up to September 1. It was as follows:

Killed—Nine officers, 22 men.

Wounded—Twenty-seven officers, 129 men.

Missing—Forty-nine officers, 4,558 men.

GERMANS BRUSH DEFENSE OF PARIS

PARIS, Sept. 6, 3:15 p. m.—An official communication issued this afternoon says:

"The advance lines of the allies for the defense of Paris come in contact with the German army which is in the Germans who appeared in a covering movement in strong force on our right, advancing toward the southeast. A short engagement resulted to the advantage of the allies.

The police surprised three individuals, who were in possession of a large quantity of arms and munitions, and who were in the act of distributing them to the German staff in Paris. The two other spies who were operating with this man escaped.

Uvas agency despatch from Petrograd says the official journal there publishes a long list of alleged criminals committed to the German army in the German staff in Paris. The two other spies who were operating with this man escaped.

"After the communication of these facts public opinion in all civilized countries will not fail to condemn Germany's conduct which recalls the darkest period of the Middle Ages."

J. A. BELLOLI, JR., DEAD.

STAR SPANGLED BANNER FESTIVAL

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 6.—With patriotic services in the churches this morning, Baltimore began a week's celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the writing of "The Star Spangled Banner," by Francis Scott Key, as he witnessed the bombardment of Fort Mifflin at the entrance to Baltimore harbor.

In the afternoon, the city park band and 500 united German singers joined in giving a concert at Druid Hill park, which concluded with the singing of the national anthem by about 50,000 persons.

RELEASE CHICAGO MURDER SUSPECT

Thagap Hishigan, arrested last week as a suspect in a Chicago murder case, has been released from the Fresno jail. The police department had received word from Chicago that Hishigan does not answer the description of the fugitive sought by the detectives. Hishigan was arrested by Detective Goehring of the police department and El Melchior, man of the Farman Detective Agency.

RUSHING WORK ON HIGHWAY

DELANO, Sept. 6.—L. Atkinson, contractor in charge of the Fresno to Delano branch of the state highway, is rushing the work and on his special day laid 650 linear feet of road. Workmen will be put on at McFarland this week. Auto owners using the road have hampered him to some extent.

FREE EXCURSION NEXT SUNDAY

From Fresno and intervening towns to the fast growing young town of Seattle, in the "State Corn" section of Tulare county, on the Santa Fe Railway. Train will leave Fresno at 8 a. m., Sunday, September 15, returning arrive Fresno early Sunday evening. Reservations should be made at once as only a limited number of tickets are available. For full particulars see G. F. Browne, Land Merced street (phone 964) or J. B. Kelsch, Hughes hotel, or Mrs. E. Becker, Hughes hotel.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS

Please take notice that the Annual Water Assessments are now due and payable at the office of the engineers, fourth floor of the Griffith-Jackson building.

Kindly do not allow these assessments to go delinquent as interest will be charged on all assessments after September 30th.

FRESNO CANAL & IRRIGATION COMPANY

By L. MONTAGUE BREW, Secretary.

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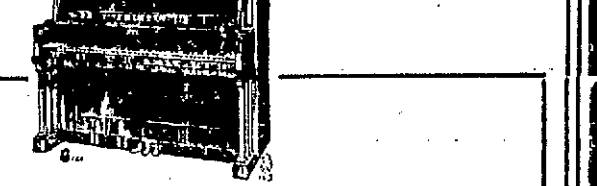
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Such High Grade Pianos As Chickering Are Reduced For Our Removal Sale



You have never had such an opportunity as this presented to you. We are going to move in three weeks and we must sell these instruments within that time. It means that we are going to make substantial reductions on such high grade instruments as the Chickering and others that we handle.

Our home guarantee goes with every instrument. These are our regular line of high grade instruments, standard makes and known everywhere.

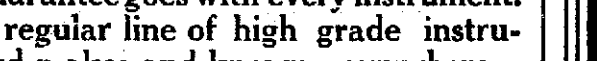
The sale starts tomorrow. Come in early and select the instrument you want. Remember, these are not instruments brought in for this sale, but our regular line that we want to close out before we move.

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Don't Blame the War

If Your Electric Light Bills Show An Increase From Now On

Remember the days are shorter—almost twice as many lighting hours as there were in June and July. You will undoubtedly be in the house more during the coming months. Soon you will need a little light in the morning. Though other commodities may climb

Electricity Will Not Cost More

Electricity is the one necessity of life which is steadily growing cheaper. So don't blame us if your bills climb a little for the next few months.

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Hollands' store is closed all day today, Labor Day.
Use Danish Cream—butter.
For your eyes see Dr. LaRue, Repub-
lican Bldg.
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For rent: A desirable apartment, fur-
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The Engraving Department of the
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The business office of the Fresno Re-
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Day) only between the hours of 5:30
and 5 o'clock p. m.
Business of importance is scheduled
for the regular meeting of the W. C.
T. U. to be held at the residence of Mrs.
Frank Brown, 415 S. San Joaquin, Sat-
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to be present.

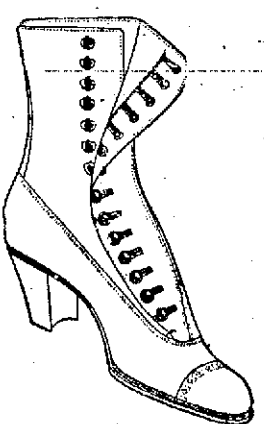
SUPERVISORS TO MEET TUESDAY

Although today is the regular day for the supervisors to convene for the September session, they will not meet until Tuesday because today is Labor Day. It has not been determined yet whether the board will remain in session Wednesday, which is Admission Day. It is probable, however, that they will adjourn from Tuesday evening until Thursday morning. They will convene at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Only routine business is scheduled for attention.

COALING-FRESNO AUTOMOBILE STAGE

Leaves Grand Central and Sequoia hotel daily 8 a. m. Leaves Coalinga P. V. hotel 3 p. m. Fare \$2.50. Round trip ticket good till used, \$4.00.

For your liver's sake take M. A. C. at Smith Bros' Drug Store.



Grand Final Clean-Up of Broken Lines Tomorrow Great Harvest Shoe Sale of Broken Lines!

—continued for just this one day

Tomorrow winds up the most wonderful shoe sale ever held in Fresno, and if you miss the finish, you'll wish you hadn't.

\$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5 Women's Shoes

95c the pair
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—hundreds of other bargains, for feet of all sizes, and especially the smaller ones.

Store closed all of today!

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EASTMAN RETURNS FROM TRIP EAST

Announces Y. M. C. A. Plans for the Coming Season's Activity

W. D. Eastman, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., returned to Fresno Saturday after a month's visit in the East. Eastman announced the changes and developments that are to be made in the local association work during the fall season and told of the various observations made at associations visited in Cleveland, Chicago, New Orleans, Los Angeles and Pasadena. Eastman was called to Cleveland by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Clara E. Eastman, but she had greatly improved and was able to be around before his leaving.

"Many new detail ideas and methods presented themselves during my visit at the various associations," said Eastman. "The associations in the East are generally much more popular with business men and receive stronger active and financial support than most of the California associations. All the business men are not concentrated through philanthropic motives, however. This is fully shown with the exception of that came to my attention. I was talking with the manager of the Hotel department store in Cleveland, which has close to a thousand employees. He paid half the Y. M. C. A. fees of all the clerks who worked for him. It's a cold-blooded proposition with me, but I saw it was a fact. It was a fact in the Y. M. C. A. produces greater results and in this way I get my money back."

"The more general my observations became of the work in the better equipped associations and the associations with better buildings, the more encouraged I became of the work accomplished in Fresno. There is a stronger list of activities here than in any association that I visited. Aside from the special events there are fifty-two scheduled forms of activity during the active season of the association."

Plans For Fall.
"While I have been away from the field for the last several weeks I have been working on a tentative program for the coming season and feel that despite the uncertain financial conditions we will have a larger working membership than hitherto and a record year for success."

"Mr. Toole, the physical director, now starts on his second year with a large loyal constituency which will be an unusual advantage. He is preparing to give particular attention to the business men's classes with a course of working this feature to its fullest extent."

"The general activities will begin about the opening of school, with the opening of the boys' gymnasium classes. Other events will be carried at intervals during the month and by the first of October the various branches of work will be well planned and actually under way."

"We are preparing to make a change in the time of launching the big year membership campaign and instead of operating it in the early part of next year, we will launch it in October. There will be a special feature in this connection in the nature of a trans-
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R. Perkins, state committeeman from San Francisco, is to be here in the first week in October. At that time a conference will be held on the full policy of the association during the coming year.

"One fact that impressed me greatly after a general comparison was the caliber of the men employed by the association," Eastman continued. "Mr. E. A. Lewis, in charge of the boys' department, and Mr. Charles Toole, physical director, together with the office secretaries are men that have not been equaled anywhere."

"Eastman said that the financial conditions were more keenly felt in the East than here. Several hundred men were let out by Marshall Field, during his stay in Chicago, and the business men in the East were stunned by the dull business season.

One feature that made New Orleans impressive was the custom of wearing Palm Beach suits. It was a beautiful sight to see the streets thronged with men in light clothes," said Eastman, "and despite the intense heat in that section, the country looked to be cool. With concerted action this custom could be adopted in Fresno, and not only provide a cool form of dress, but Fresno would be given unique advertising, such as New Orleans now enjoys."

New Banking System

With the organization of the new Federal Reserve Banks, all new banks will have a new banking system.

The wise provisions of the new law should stimulate the business of the entire country.

We believe that the uncertainty which has prevailed, will largely disappear and that a period of increasing prosperity is before us.

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Chinaman With Twelve Fingers Nabbed in Raid

The raids on opium dens in China town Saturday night resulted in the discovery of a human curiosity, a person with twelve fingers. That person is Lee Yuen, a Chinese bookkeeper who is employed in the Chinese school at 1027 1/2 street. Lee Yuen has six digits on each hand. He has the four fingers and thumb of the average person, but in addition he has two fingers, one growing out of each thumb.

One of the fingers is perfect in proportion although rather small and the nail is normal. The other extra finger is not perfectly formed. The Chinaman has no control over the fingers except through the movement of his thumb, and therefore has no practical use for them.

Yuen was arrested Saturday night but was not lodged in jail. He was seen emerging from one of the dens just before it was raided and was taken into custody. Lee Yuen was cited to appear in police court tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

OFFER PEACE PRAYERS IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Fresno People Ask for End of European Conflict

In accordance with a circular letter sent out by Rev. Patrick Harcourt, vicar general of the diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles, special prayers for peace in the European countries were offered at the Catholic churches in Fresno at the close of the 11 o'clock mass yesterday morning.

The prayers were directed to the saints in the form of a litany, ending upon each to hear the supplications offered, and help before the throne of God in obtaining their peace. Shortly after the general war broke out, the late Pope Pius X issued a request that all the Catholic churches should pray for peace and this is a response to the request.

The many of the saints is a form of prayer that is based on the petition of great events," said Monsignor McCarthy, pastor of St. John's church, yesterday. "It is used in connection with important religious observances, but this is the first time that I could be used in connection with any public event."

PERSONAL MENTION

Misses Adeline Mitchell and Blanche Mitchell have come to Los Angeles for a week's stay with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Johnson of Fowler spent yesterday in this city. They were guests at the Hughes hotel.

P. F. La Sonza of San Francisco is in Fresno visiting with relatives. He will return north tomorrow afternoon. He was accompanied to Fresno by Edward Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Lowrie and Oran Gies spent yesterday in Fresno, being guests at the Sequoia hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leonard, a business man of Modesto, is in Fresno for the Labor Day celebration.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Yerinton of San Francisco are at the Hotel Fresno during a brief visit in Fresno.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Long and their three children, Miss Lucille Kindness, are at the Hughes hotel for a week's stay, returning to Fresno from Imperial. They will proceed soon to Yosemite, where they will remain for a week or longer.

Earl Fordyce, a business man of Birmingham, Alabama, is registered at the Hotel Hughes. He will remain in Fresno for a week or longer.

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WANTED MEN FOR SERVICE

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One Bunch of Grapes Weighs Seven Pounds

At the Sacramento state fair next week will be shown a bunch of Thompson Seedless grapes weighing 12 pounds. These grapes were raised in the vineyard of M. H. Greenbush on Johnson avenue, about nine miles east of Fresno. Greenbush brought the mammoth cluster into the exhibit rooms of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday and it was stated that they should be shipped out today with the Sacramento exhibits.

WELCOME PASTOR HOME FROM TRIP

KINGSBURG, Sept. 6.—Thursday evening was the occasion of a pleasant surprise perpetrated on Rev. E. J. Colberg, pastor of the Lutheran church, at his boarding place, the home of Mrs. Hannah Peterson, in the Lutheran parsonage. Rev. Colberg had returned a few days before from his summer vacation, spent with home folks at the old home in St. Peter, Minn., and the surprise took the nature of a welcome party. The surprise was complete, the party gathering in the absence of the intended "victim." On his return home the situation broke in upon him with almost startling suddenness, but he soon recovered his usual poise and entered fully into the spirit and enjoyment of the occasion. The evening was spent in pleasant social enjoyment and in the natural sequence of events refreshments were served. The event was an indication in a slight degree of the high esteem in which Dr. Colberg is held by the entire community and will be remembered by all who were privileged to participate.

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News From Central California

PAVING IN LINDSAY BEGINS IN EARNEST

Street Improvement Now Going Ahead With Crew of Men and Teams

LINDSAY, Sept. 6.—Paving operations are in full blast now, with nearly fifty men and about a dozen teams at work. All the crews to the paving machine, twenty-three blades, have been plowed by the use of a large traction engine and the dirt is being hauled away as fast as possible. Mirrored avenue has already been graded and the work of laying cement upon it will be in full swing. This street will be used for storing materials, while the first to be used will be those over which the orange hauling this fall will take place to the greatest extent. The necessary curbing is now being constructed, while the bluffs of the concrete are being laid out for the paving machine. It is expected that the paving machine will be in operation about ten days for the cement pavement to dry before placing the cover. The machine used in mixing and laying the cement will cover about three-fourths of a block per day. It is hoped to have the work completed within the next ten weeks.

TAFT SERVANTS SEND AWAY MONEY

Raise Fund to Assist Needy Among Their Friends in the Country Now Torn by the War

TAFT, Sept. 6.—Appreciating the needs of the Red Cross Society, in the Fatherland, in far away Germany, Taft's natives of that country to the number of nine have taken up a collection, which has been sent across the sea. Seldom are nine men found who, though of moderate circumstances, would contribute as heavily as those in the Taft family. From the nine men a contribution of \$115 was sent. This was mailed Thursday to the Red Cross Society, New York City. Those who contributed to the fund were: Mike Oradovich, Novok, Ardrich, Sam, Tripkovich, C. Ardrich, S. Miljanovich, Sam, Rupich, Sam, Rimonovich, Sam, Yunkovich, M. Jelavich.

DINUBA BREVITIES

DINUBA, Sept. 6.—J. C. Howard of Maricopa is in this vicinity at present visiting old friends. Mr. Howard was a former resident here at a time when Dinuba was little more than a "wide place in the road." He expressed himself as being surprised at the growth made by the section in so short a time.

Word was received here last evening that Mr. Ransome, of the Ransome-Crummey Company, whose firm has the contract for the street paving, would be in the city on next Tuesday to begin work in earnest. City Engineer Sloane, who resides in San Francisco, phoned the news to a city official.

Rev. F. W. Reynolds of Corona spoke at the Baptist church this morning. Rev. Reynolds, with his estimable wife, is visiting at the O. D. Hammond home.

A. Kaler made a trip to the north-east of town Friday afternoon and took motion pictures of the grape dipping process on the Giffen vineyard.

A party composed of Charles Hurst, C. M. Butler and E. R. Egan, are spending the latter part of the week in the vicinity of Pine Ridge. This is on the road to Big Creek Basin, where Mr. Harris has some old mills that have not been in operation for some time.

John Pickford is in receipt of an interesting postal from Harry Hendry, former operator at the local Southern Pacific station. Mr. Hendry is now traveling in the war zone in Europe.

A small party of old soldiers and their wives partook of a sumptuous dinner at the Shields home in this city on Saturday, the occasion being the seventeenth birthday anniversary of J. J. Freeman, Mrs. Shields' father, who is one of the old boys.

BRIEF REEDLEY NEWS JOTTINGS

REEDLEY, Sept. 6.—Tony Justeson has purchased the J. P. Hansen residence on D street. He will take possession the latter part of the month.

T. H. Jack of Parlier was a Reedy visitor Saturday.

As Monday is a holiday, the Reedy banks will be closed. The business houses of the city will be open as usual.

W. P. Dean and family arrived this week from Visalia. Prof. Dean is the new principal of the West Side grammar school.

A. Terkel of the Reedy Telephone Company has been busy this week making down the telephone wires across the railroad crossing at Tenth street and laying a cable under tracks. The change was made in remarkably quick time, the subscribers on the west side being without service for only a few hours.

The contract for the installation of toilet and new plumbing at the schoolhouse and making the necessary connections with the new sewer system has been awarded to Trembley Bros. The contract calls for the completion of the work by the 12th of this month.

Gerhart Vogt is confined to his home on account of illness.

Walter Gilchrist and family have returned from a vacation which they spent in the mountains.

Mrs. E. Fowler and Mrs. G. E. Pinkerton were Fresno visitors last week.

William Ruth has returned from San Francisco, where he spent the summer.

S. J. Glidden and family have gone to Del Palos for a short visit.

Harry Winnes has returned from a business trip to San Francisco and Oakland.

E. B. Schmidt of Mounside, Kansas, is visiting his brother-in-law, William Dyck.

Rev. E. J. Omer and family returned last week from their vacation which they spent in Beatrice, Nebraska.

The secret of success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is that it cures.

CUT RATES. Cut rates always at Duker & Colson Drug Co. Phone 87.

Election Figures in Merced Reveal Many Interesting Points

MERCED, Sept. 6.—County Clerk J. J. Thompson yesterday compiled figures showing some interesting facts in connection with the vote cast in Merced county at the recent primary election. The men voted proportionately heavier than the women and the country voted proportionately heavier than the incorporated cities, Merced and Los Banos. The figures follow:

Total registered vote in county	7,223
Total number of votes cast	5,329
Women registered	5,413
Women voted	1,919
Men registered	5,510
Men voted	3,410
Percentage of total vote	74.6
Percentage of men voting	76.8
Percentage of women voting	70.8
Percentage voting in cities	69.1
Percentage voting in country	77.1
Percentage voting in Merced city	72.0

PLAN TO OBSERVE WEEK OF TITHING

Endeavor Societies in Tulare Start Services for Purpose of Aiding Dry Cause With Tithes

TULARE, Sept. 6.—Tithing week for the Christian Endeavor societies of this city was begun tonight with special programs. Tithing week is to be observed by all Christian Endeavor societies in California, each member to lay aside one-tenth of his or her salary to help the "dry" cause. The program of the society of the Christian church in this city tonight was as follows:

Topic: "The Prayer Verse." Song service. Scripture lesson—Matthew 21:22. Hymn.

Talk—"What is True Prayer?" Rev. Ogden.

Testimonies—"Prayer Answered." Endeavorers.

Scripture—Mal. 3:17-12. Talk—"Tithing Week," Mrs. Cortright.

Song—"California Day." Talk—"California's Need of Our Prayer and Money at This Time," Robert Wolf.

Hymn. Consecration service. Alzaph.

PERSONAL NOTES OF WHEATVILLE

WHEATVILLE, Sept. 6.—John Whiteside has finished crushing barley for J. E. Walker and Clarence Wythe, and is now crushing at August Meyer's place.

Paul McCall has gone to San Francisco on a pleasure trip.

A. M. Bentley was a business visitor of Burrell yesterday.

J. J. Truman returned to his home in Gilroy a few days ago. Mr. Truman spent some time looking after his interests in this locality.

Miss Keta Kilby has returned to her home in Colton after a very enjoyable visit of ten days with her brother and friends in this vicinity.

George Landis has commenced picking corn on the ranch of C. H. Mann.

Dr. J. W. Harrell's teams are busy burning over the rich soil on the ranch of Barney Smith, a large farmer of this section.

Ida Clow is visiting her brother, Walter Clow, and friends of Town Station.

Mrs. D. C. Francis is visiting with friends in Modesto.

Mrs. Ralph Miller, who has been quite sick in a sanatorium in Fresno, is improving and will soon be able to return home.

Fred Ladd and wife motored over to Wheatville today on business and pleasure bent, and their many friends were glad to have a chat with them once more. They live near the foothills of Coast Range mountains west of here and are pioneers of that district.

Mr. Ladd reports five grain crops in that locality and is raising an immense crop himself.

D. C. Francis is suffering from an attack of asthma.

A. M. Bentley's new residence will be completed in a couple of weeks. A painter is on the roof and will soon start in on the walls and ceilings of the interior.

Tom Middleton received a telegram yesterday telling of the death of his sister in the East, who leaves a babe a few weeks old.

Robert Sudden and family have returned after a month's sojourn at the coast resorts, enjoying the salt sea breeze, which they report was most too cool part of the time.

LATON NEWS NOTES

LATON, Sept. 6.—The Laguna school will start Monday. Miss Bosche Holstinger will serve as principal. Miss Emma Jensen will teach the intermediate grades and Miss Hazel Jensen the primary.

Miss A. C. Tucker left Thursday evening for San Diego, where she joined her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker have had charge of the hotel for the past six months. T. H. Morgan will conduct the hotel temporarily.

Mrs. M. E. Knudson, principal of the Laton high school, returned Wednesday from Los Angeles. She was accompanied by her father, Rev. Shields, who returned to Los Angeles the following day.

Leslie Vaughn left Saturday evening for Lodi, where he will attend the Lodi college.

Lynn Lane left this week for Lodi, where he will spend some time visiting friends.

Miss Letitia Damon entertained the members of the primary class of the M. E. church meet at the church Thursday afternoon and elected officers: President, Mrs. Eastland; secretary, Mrs. Nellie Heelmin; and treasurer, Mrs. Graham.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Damon and Mrs. Marsh were Fresno visitors Friday.

Miss Maud Eastland left Saturday evening for Los Angeles, where she will attend business college.

LINDSAY DRYERS ARE ACTIVE. LINDSAY, Sept. 6.—A number of members of the Lindsay Dry Federation met in the V. M. C. A. rooms in the First National Bank building Friday evening and completed arrangements for the start of a vigorous campaign for California dry in this district. Arrangements are being made to hold meetings of this nature in all the surrounding school houses.

WOMAN SUCCEEDS WITH BIG RANCH

Much Money Made Off Seventy-Five Acres in Stanislaus

RIVERBANK, Sept. 6.—Mrs. E. V. Coleman, residing four miles east of Riverbank, near Longview, is demonstrating the fact that a woman can "make good" on a ranch. Mrs. Coleman has for several years had complete charge of her 75-acre fruit ranch, sixty acres of which lies along the Stanislaus, and the remaining acreage being upland. Thirty-five acres are planted to various varieties of peaches, eight acres to apples, two to French prunes, twenty to almonds, five to olives and the remainder to alfalfa, where during the fruit drying season are placed the trays. The peaches produced 350 tons of green fruit this season and there is now fifty tons of dried peaches ready to market. All the work of drying is carried on on the ranch under her direct supervision. The property is fully equipped for the work with cutting and sulphur houses, etc. During the cutting season at least forty people are employed in the drying houses and thirty-five men are employed working in the trees. Eight tons of dried peaches are ready to market. Also a large crop of apricots.

At present a force of men and women are at work on the almond crop. The trees are usually heavily loaded and at least \$1,000 are realized on this crop. Nothing is allowed to go to waste. The apricot pits are marketed at an average of \$20 per ton; peach pits \$10 per ton to orchardists, and all not so disposed of are used as fuel for cooking purposes. The almond hulls mixed with alfalfa are fed to the cows. The hulls bring on the market \$5 per ton. The Napa almond this season is extremely large and an exhibition from these trees will be shown at the 1915 fair. The olives are estimated at \$1,000 this year.

The late Coleman property on the Coleman ranch this year, not including apples and cherries and a few other fruits grown in smaller quantities, is \$10,000 above all expenses. A few cows, chickens, pigs and rabbits are kept on the ranch at a small cost. The Coleman property is a piece of the famous old Thompson ranch and later was owned by the Hammonds, old 49's of this district. The dwelling still in use was at that time used as a hotel for the miners as they traveled to and from the mining districts of California, China, Canada and other points. Bart Harte and Mark Twain were guests of this old hotel.

YOUNG FARISS WRITES FROM PENITENTIARY

Warns Against Yielding Weakly to World's Temptations

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 6.—Awaiting his execution at San Quentin, Ralph Fariss, the Bakersfield boy sentenced to die for the murder of Horace E. Montague on a Southern Pacific train, has penned the following statement to the world:

"In all the world there are two kinds of people—those who know and those who do not know. I was born a man who did not know. My life in the death-chamber at San Quentin has not been spent in vain. Good folks took an interest in me and were helpful through letters and books to show me the better way of life. At the feet of the Master I found new life and wonderful inspiration.

"I want to use this change to warn all my youthful fellows, not to give way to the weak temptations of any kind; to listen to the older and more experienced folks, who will advise you to use all your energy and power to become a useful man in the world."

200 BAKERSFIELD ELKS PLAN FOR TRIP

Will Take Special Train to Convention at Modesto

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 6.—Bakersfield Lodge of Elks No. 268 has arranged for a special train from here for Modesto Wednesday evening, October 7, for transportation of the 200 local Elks and their bodies to the annual convention of the State Elks Association. This city having been the founder of the state association, naturally takes a deep interest in its affairs.

Bakersfield will take along its own band, recently organized by the Elks, who have secured an appropriation for instruments and uniforms. This band will be a feature of all local lodge dances. Secretary James Egan has arranged for a number of rooms at the Tugboat hotel, and reservations are now being obtained from him.

The accredited Bakersfield delegates are H. E. Alford, J. B. Payne, J. B. Parker, F. H. B. Bestman, D. Stewart, J. H. McDonald, C. G. Law and James Egan.

WEST SIDE PIONEER DIES AT NEWMAN

Justice of the Peace T. E. Walden Taken After Serious Illness

NEWMAN, Sept. 6.—Justice of the Peace T. E. Walden, who was taken seriously ill three weeks ago at his home here, died Saturday afternoon, aged 64 years. This was not unexpected, as his case was serious from the beginning.

In the passing of Judge Walden, another of the old-time pioneers of the West Side will be missed. He was elected justice of the peace of Newman township for several years, and at the last primary he was renominated. The funeral service was held today at his home, Rev. A. Breese

MAKES BIG MONEY FROM BLACK-EYES

MARLAND, Sept. 6.—John Drake, ten miles northeast of here, expects to get \$300 an acre from fourteen acres of black-eyed beans planted between rows of fruit trees. So successful has he been he will plant 100 acres additional to beans next year. He had some trouble getting a thrasher to harvest his crop.

FOWLER HAPPENINGS

FOWLER, Sept. 6.—Miss Sallie Threlkeld of Southport, Kentucky, will arrive in Fowler next week to organize and teach a class in music. Miss Lillian James will start a violin class at her home on the 15th inst. Miss James recently returned from a trip to Yosemite valley, San Francisco and other bay cities and Santa Cruz.

Marshall J. W. Ford arrested two blind piggers this week, Ed Rodriguez, who runs the Ballewama pool hall, and Mrs. Ballewama. Rodriguez had his preliminary hearing Saturday and was bound over to answer before the Superior Court. He had trouble while under the influence of liquor with his father-in-law. Both cases were heard before J. W. Bradley, justice of the peace.

Mr. and Mrs. George Feaver returned this week from an extended trip on the coast.

Miss Mildred Chapman returned this week from a visit to General Grant Park.

Mr. Rufus Fish arrived this week from Elmore and is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barkley.

Messrs. Gerhardt and Reed, auditors for the Southern Pacific Company and the Wells-Fargo Express Company, inspected the company's books this week.

Marshall J. W. Ford moved his family to the Vance burglow on the Wildflower road, and John Shannon and family now occupy the Ford residence.

Prof. L. Kahan, a new member of the high school staff for this term, will give a series of lectures on the training of commercial classes and French. He is much impressed with Fowler's beautiful appearance.

On September 15, Tuesday afternoon, the Women's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will give a public social in other points. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

A. J. Neely came back from Long Beach this week to look after his crops. His family will follow next week.

Mrs. Dr. J. Golden returned last evening from a two-week visit with her mother, Mrs. George Elliott of Alameda.

Miss Barbara Sherman and Byron Sherman left today for a week's visit with friends at Newman.

E. J. Spelman, wholesale wine dealer of Newman, was a visitor at the Kirby winery yesterday.

The Giffen-Hobbs company has shipped nine carloads of dried peaches this week.

The next meeting of the F. I. A. will occur in October.

Attorney H. C. Wuerth, who was elected progressive county Central Committeeman from Fowler, will attend the meeting of the committee in Judge Austin's court room at 3 p. m. Tuesday, September 8.

Another concert will be given by the Fowler Brass Band at Fowler Park next Thursday evening. A large number of soloists will be rendered. The band has improved wonderfully through practice and the able training of their leader, J. W. James.

Rev. J. C. Lynn, formerly pastor of the United Presbyterian church here, is in Colorado, while his wife and daughter, Mrs. Lynn, are in Chicago. They will soon locate in Kansas City, where they intend to build a home.

Much interest is being taken in the coming hay social and watermelon feast that is to occur next Tuesday evening on the lawn of the Christian church parsonage. An excellent program has been prepared for the occasion.

The stores of Fowler will be closed all day Monday, Labor day.

This evening ends the open air services which have been conducted jointly by the churches of Fowler on the Grammar School grounds.

BRIEF CORCORAN NEWS JOTTINGS

CORCORAN, Sept. 6.—Rev. E. D. Barton was a Stanford visitor Friday.

The new addition to the grammar school building is now complete, and is ready for the beginning of school, September 8.

Orville Skaggs has returned from his vacation in the mountains.

J. P. Wiers of Riverside county, father and mother of W. F. Perish, manager of the Commercial Transfer Company, are visiting at the home of their son in this city. They expect to make their home here.

He will take charge of the Transfer office in the new Platoon building.

The new high school building is now completed and ready for the furnishings, and is one of the most beautiful and modern high school buildings in the San Joaquin valley.

Louis Timmons, district superintendent of the California Dry Federation, spoke at an attentive audience in Sterbach hall last Thursday evening, and organized a local federation with Mr. O. D. Strong chairman, and Mr. F. A. Cleveland vice-president, and Mrs. J. R. Schinner secretary.

Dr. Robinson, who is in charge of this division of the Santa Fe railroad, wife and family have returned from a two weeks' vacation at Long Beach.

URGES DIVERSITY IN FARM CROPS

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 6.—George J. Rhoads, a 1225 specialist who has developed 600 farms in the west and middle west, says the land around McFarland is one of the best in the United States, basing his opinion on: Excellence of the soil, abundance of water, invigorating climate and enterprise of the people. The ranchers there should diversify their crops, he said, and stop raising alfalfa, the least profitable of crops. He advises beans, onions, tomatoes, or deciduous and citrus fruits.

He leaves a wife and three children. The remains will be taken to Oakland for cremation.

GREAT DEVASTATION IS DONE BY MILITIA

Companies Are Playing Havoc With Map of California

TEHACHAPI, Sept. 6.—Company L, N. G. C., camping here in charge of Captain L. C. Reer and Lieutenants Slater and Dennen, today tackled the following military problem, dividing its men into two "armies." The whole San Joaquin Valley is in the hands of the Red army, which has destroyed the Western Pacific and Oregon route of the Southern Pacific lines, and reinforcements are consequently being sent to California to the Blue army via the Santa Fe, S. P. El Paso branch and California Nevada Aqueduct Railroad to Southern California.

The Blue army's headquarters is at Mojave, where the reinforcements are being awaited. The advance guard is composed of the First division and the vanguard of the First brigade of organized militia of California, all branches.

Company L (at Tehachapi) forms the vanguard, and receives word that the Reds have been seen at White Wolf grade, near Caliente, moving toward Beaville and Caliente, and the commander of the advance guard decides to send the Seventh regiment via the Cummings Valley road to reconnoiter near Beaville.

Company L's duty is to ascertain the strength of the Reds seen near Caliente and along the Tehachapi-Caliente road, and after doing so and reporting, to form outposts near the intersection of Tehachapi creek and the Amalia road.

STRATFORD NOTES

STRATFORD, Sept. 6.—Miss Lucile Miller is visiting friends and relatives at Pomona, California, indefinitely.

Miss Nellie Althouse is spending her vacation on the coast.

Miss J. Sturgeon is visiting friends at Tulare this week.

The Stratford dancing club will give a social dance at the school house Saturday evening.

The program of the Stratford Woman's Club is just out and is very pretty, having been finished in the "color" cream and yellow.

The following Stratford people were doing business and shopping in Leominster last Tuesday: J. F. Paschall, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Shaugnessy and daughter, Gladys, Mrs. F. P. Watson and daughter, Mildred, and Mr. J. A. Vinland.

D. C. Jones, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. McKim and others motored to Hanford last Thursday.

Mr. A. M. Downing, intermediate teacher of the Stratford school, has arrived here already and is getting ready for the opening of the fall term.

The principal, Mrs. Ora Russell, and the primary teacher, Miss Mary Henderson, both of Los Angeles, are expected to arrive a few days prior to the opening of the school.

Wm. Stratton has returned from his vacation.

The family of Mr. Stevenson of Mojave have arrived and will be located at their home they bought several months ago. Mrs. Stevenson is a daughter of Mr. C. Steen, who has a Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and family of Mojave have shipped their stock and furniture from their former home and are now located at their new home they purchased from Mrs. Stevenson's father, Mr. C. Steen.

William Butcher has moved his family into the Martin house.

Mr. C. Egan who is teaching here on the labor day misfortune to lose a valuable animal the first of the week of pleural pneumonia. A veterinarian was called and all that could be done for the animal was done.

SQUAW VALLEY NOTES

SQUAW VALLEY, Sept. 6.—Oliver and Harold Burk made a business trip to Selma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kincaid and family have returned from the mountains where they spent their vacation.

Ivan Drake made a business trip to Reedley last Wednesday.

Oliver and Johnnie Bear have returned from picking fruit near Oroquieta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burk of Kingsburg are visiting friends and relatives here.

C. B. Drake is installing a new barley crusher this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bureau of Bakersfield are up here on business for a few days.

MARRIED

FISKE-CORTNER, Pacific Grove, Sept. 2, 1914, James S. Fiske and Elizabeth Cortner, Rev. Burton M. Palmer officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cortner, who were residents of Kings county for many years.

AMUSEMENTS

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Bunny in The Honeymooners
The Silent, Personal Comedy from N. Y.
FISCHER AND POLLARD COMEDY
Pathe's Latest War News

TODAY, TUES., WED.
THURS.

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Fresno, Thur., Sept. 10

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Downtown ticket office at SAN JOAQUIN DRUG CO.
Tickets on sale show day, same prices as charged at grounds
Sept. 4-5-6-7-8-9

Reduced Round Trip Rates

Account Labor Day and Admission Day

San Francisco	\$7.70
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LIQUOR ROBS LABOR

Liquor Business and Labor

Compiled from United States Census Reports
(See Special Reports, 1905, Manufactures, Part I, Table 3.)

What Ten of the Leading Industries Do for the Workers, and What the Liquor Business Does Not Do	No. of wage-earners employed	No. employed for each \$1,000,000 invested
Steam railway and shop construction	236,900	1,512
Women's clothing	115,705	1,562
Boots and shoes	149,924	1,222
Knit goods and hosiery	102,715	873
Men's clothing	127,190	539
Lumber and timber	494,626	753
Furniture	110,132	721
Cotton goods	310,453	513
Foundry and machine-shop products	345,350	412
Steel works and rolling-mills	207,692	296
Distilled, vinous, and malt liquors	57,461	91
All manufactures, capital	\$12,686,265,673	
All manufactures employ	5,470,321	
Manufacture of liquors, capital	\$621,447,598	
Manufacture of liquors employ	57,461	
All other manufactures, with \$12,054,818,075 capital, employ 5,412,860 wage-earners, or 451 wage-earners to every \$1,000,000 invested.		
The manufacture of liquors employs but 91 wage-earners to each \$1,000,000 capital invested.		
At the same rate as other manufactures, the liquor business ought to employ 284,581 wage-earners. At the lowest rate, 296 to the million, it ought to employ 186,776. Its greed ought to sentence it to death.		

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OF

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What Labor Leaders Say

Samuel Gompers, president American Federation of Labor: "None better know than the so-called leaders in the movement for labor reform, the curse of liquor and the hindrance it is to the better education and activity in that field of operations."

John Mitchell, vice-president A. F. L.: "If a brewery is closed down, in its place springs up a factory. If a saloon is closed, in its place comes a store. It is simply a process well known to union men, the same process as follows the introduction of machinery. It is a readjustment, a changed condition of society. Almost every disturbance in the ranks of organized labor can be traced back to some connection with the saloon."

John B. Lennon, treasurer A. F. L.: "Wage-workers have been the mainstay of the liquor traffic on the North American continent, but, thank God, they are going to knock it out. The saloon does not produce a thing which is a benefit to the human race. It is a non-producer, and must be supported by those who work. Every man and woman should be against the liquor traffic from start to finish."

Thomas L. Lewis, president United Mine Workers: "If you want to know where the miners of America stand upon the temperance question, I'll tell you. In our constitution, we have a clause which forbids any member to sell intoxicants, even at a picnic. That's what we think of the liquor traffic. Some people say that the saloon is a necessary evil. I don't believe in that kind of doctrine. Because the liquor traffic tends to enslave the people, to make them satisfied with improper conditions, and keeps them ignorant, the leaders of the trades-unions are called on to fight the saloon."

P. M. Arthur, of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers: "Every friend of the working man will vote against the saloon every time he gets a chance, and to close it up, not only on Sunday, but upon every day of the week."

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Vote "YES" For Amendment No. 2

NOVEMBER 3, 1914

FOR A DRY CALIFORNIA

The Laboring Man's Club in Operation

A Competition the Wine Industry Will Afford You

"One of the most serious difficulties which we must overcome if we hope to compete successfully with France, Italy, Germany, and Spain and Portugal in the wine market of the world, is the labor problem. This fall pickers were at a premium in the vineyards, and as a result prohibitive prices had to be paid to the Japs and Hindus and other available help that could be pressed into service."

"But with the opening of the Panama Canal it is expected that the influx of immigration from Southern Europe will help to adjust this vexing problem."

H. T. STOLL

Speaking at Fruit Growers' Convention, Fresno, Calif.



A Question and a True Answer

Question.—If we vote California "dry" this year, what effect will it have on labor?

Answer.—That is a fair question. A large number of laboring-men drink. The drinking laborer spends, on an average, treats included, 20 cents a day. Twenty cents a day is \$6 per month, or \$72 per year.

The average laboring man and his wife and children do not have more than one average good suit of clothing, one hat and one pair of shoes apiece, other than their working clothes, each year—and the drinking man generally has less. The drinking man's wife has to scrimp and save, make old dresses over, trim old hats over, make children's clothes out of dad's old clothes or brother's old trousers—generally.

Seventy-two dollars would buy
A new suit for father\$25
A new suit for brother\$25
New outfits for five children\$32

That sum would pay four to six months' rent, or several payments on a little home on the installment plan.

That sum would pay overdue grocery bills or fuel bills and leave something for a rainy day under "dry" conditions. Such an effect will surely pay a laboring man.

BANISH THE SALOON

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SEALS MAKE IT DOUBLE VICTORY

Take Sole Ownership of
Second Place in
Standing

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—San Francisco drew a full game away from Los Angeles in the struggle for the second place in the percentage column by defeating the Angels in both games of a double-header today. The morning game, played in Oakland, was distinguished by the battling of Leifield, the Seal twirler. He secured two doubles and a single in three line-up, half the hits made by the Howards. In the afternoon, Pitchers Musser and Klutke were treated to a bombardment by the Seals, the result being a score of eight runs, six hits and five errors by the southerners culminating in a 20 to 1 rout. The scores:

(Morning Game)
LOS ANGELES
ABR.H.H.P.O.A.E.

Morgan, J.	5	0	0	4	2
Margaret, of	4	0	2	0	0
Alston, W.	1	0	1	0	0
Ellis, R.	5	0	1	0	0
Moor, E.	4	1	2	1	0
Page, C.	1	0	0	2	5
Brooks, C.	3	0	0	2	2
Hughes, P.	2	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	1	6	24	12

SAN FRANCISCO

A.B.R.H.L.P.O.E.

Flitzewald, of	3	0	0	2	0
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Schauer, 2h	3	0	3	0
Brown, 2h	3	0	1	3
Mundorf, cf	3	0	0	3
Charles, 1b	3	0	1	3
Corhan, ss	3	0	0	2
Clarke, c	4	0	0	3
Leffler, p	3	1	3	3
Totals	24	2	6	27
SCORE BY INNINGS				
Los Angeles	000	010	000	
Base hits	111	011	001	
San Francisco	000	100	000	
Base hits	000	100	000	

Stolen bases—Diore 2, Hughes 1.
 Downs—Charles 2.
 Two base hits—Leiffeld 2.
 Sacrifice hits—Ellis, Mundorf.
 Page.
 Base on balls—Leiffeld 3, Hughes 3.
 Struck out—Leiffeld 2, Hughes 2.
 Left on bases—Los Angeles 6, San Francisco 6.
 Runs responsible for—Leiffeld 1, Hughes 1.
 Time—1:26.
 Umpires—Ryde.

LOS ANGELES		A.B.I.H.I.P.O.A.I.			
Walter, Rf	5	0	4	1	1
Metzger, 3b	4	0	1	2	3
Muggert, cf	4	0	2	2	0
Abstein, 1b	4	0	0	3	1
Ellis, lf	4	0	1	0	0
Johnson, ss	4	0	0	4	4
Page, 2b	4	0	0	0	3
Mreek, c	4	0	3	4	4
Harmon, p	1	0	0	0	2
Byrnes, 1b	1	0	0	0	0
Flanagan, p	1	0	0	0	1

Totals	38	21	24	15
*Batted for Musser in fifth.				
**Batted for Ethel in ninth.				
SAN FRANCISCO				
Fitzgerald, RF	4	1	3	1
O'Leary, 3b	5	1	2	0
Schaller, 1b	3	1	2	0
Brann, 2b	3	0	3	0
Musser, lf and rf	4	2	3	0
Charles, 1b	4	1	3	0
Corhan, ss	3	0	1	3
Schmidt, c	1	0	1	6

Tobin, cf	1	1	1	1	0
Totals	35	8	16	27	13
SCORE BY INNINGS					
Los Angeles	100	629	610		
Base hits	105	329	321		
San Francisco	66	200	21		
Base hits	122	312	42		
SUMMARY					
Stolen bases—Ellis, Schaller.					
Charge defeat to Muser. Five runs.					
7 hits, 16 at bat off Muser in four innings.					

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—Burlington, N. J., Dispatch Philadel-
phia Record

The New One—I've done so ever since he told me that his one wish was to see me happy.—From Puck,

ing cars would only turn tortoise and slow down, so-called valuable lives might be saved.—From the Chicago Tribune

before, but grasping her husband's
wrist, she hit the snake four times out of
five attempts.—Bloomshurg, Pa., Dis-
patch to Philadelphia Record.

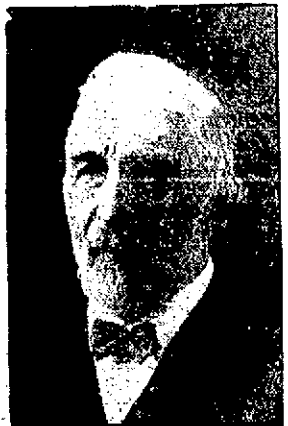
Signed, ED GOWER,
Clerk of the Board,
dated Sept. 4, 1914.

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JOHN S. DORE IS DEAD: NOTABLE CITIZEN

Active Thirty Years as Leader in Public and Farm Life

Distinguished Career in Wisconsin Before Coming Here



JOHN S. DORE.

John S. Dore, prominent in the history of Fresno county for thirty years, died yesterday in Santa Cruz at the age of 75 years.

Mr. Dore has been in poor health for the past two years, and while his death is a great loss to the community it does not come as a surprise to his many friends. Dore wanted to return to his home here in order to vote at the primaries, but because of a sudden illness he was unable to do so. Mrs. Dore, Miss Jennie Dore and H. V. Rudy, a son-in-law, were at his bedside yesterday morning when he died. The body is being brought to this city and the funeral will be held Tuesday at 3 o'clock from Stephens and Benn's chapel. Death was due to a complication of diseases followed by a stroke of the heart.

Following a physical breakdown and financial reverses, Dore with his family moved from Wisconsin to Fresno in 1883. He purchased land in the Bank of Central California tract which is now known as West Park. He steadily improved this tract and at the time of his death owned one of the most fertile vineyards in this section of the state.

Dore, several years after settling in West Park, found that alkali was encroaching on the district. He had faith in proposals for eliminating it and was instrumental in inducing the government to send experts to this county to make experiments. Dore went to the expense of putting in a drainage system on his vineyard and lived to see the day when his land was cleared of the alkali.

Dore became one of the leading and most prominent vineyardists in Central California. He was a diligent laborer for the upbuilding of the viticultural and horticultural interests of the community. Dore was one of the first shippers of green fruit out of Fresno county. He joined the Farmers' Alliance in 1890 and attended the first state meeting in San Jose in November of the same year. He was chosen chairman of the executive committee and always took an active part in the work of the Alliance. Mr. Dore was also very active in the old Populist party. He never held office, but was once candidate for supervisor in the fourth district.

Dore was a man who had progressive ideas and an intimate friend in Fresno last night recalled that as long back as twenty years ago he can remember of Dore speaking of the parcels post, postal savings bank and the initiative and referendum. Dore took much pleasure since the parcels post has become a fact in discussing the same.

Among his many activities was a prominent share in organizing the Fresno Farmers' Club. Dore looked with pride toward the success of the progressive movement and it was a sad day for him when he was informed that he could not return from Santa Cruz in time to cast his vote at the primary for Hiram Johnson. Miss Jennie Dore, who has looked after her father's business since his sickness, was planning a visit to Santa Cruz, but Dore sent her word not to come until after the primaries. He wanted her to stay in Fresno and cast her vote for Johnson.

Early Life. John Dore was born in Harmony, Maine, December 26, 1838. In 1850 his father emigrated to Wisconsin, where he carried on general farming. Dore attended the common schools during the winter and in the summer would assist in farm work. At the age of 18 years he began teaching, which he followed until the winter of 1857-58, when he took a one year's course at the Galeville University.

He was married in La Crosse county, Wis., January 1, 1863, to Miss L. Jennie Angell, and about the same time established the Clark County Journal at Neilsville, Clark County, Wis., which he continued to publish for years.

He was also prominent in county government and for six years officiated as chairman of the board of county supervisors and was county superintendent of schools, in which capacity he served for a period of ten years. He was also a member of the state board of agriculture for three years. After selling out his paper he moved to and cleared a farm of over 200 acres of heavily timbered land, and also engaged in the lumber business. This venture was not a success and in 1883, with broken health, he sold out his interests there and moved to this county.

Besides his wife, Mr. Dore is survived by five daughters—Mrs. J. J. Ewell, Phoenix, Arizona; Mrs. Harry Joseph, Fresno; Mrs. George Holby, Dinuba; Mrs. H. V. Rudy, Fresno; and Miss Jennie Dore, also of this city.

NO LUNCHEON AT COMMERCIAL CLUB

In accordance with the club custom no luncheon will be served at the Commercial club today, Saturday, the holiday. The regular luncheon will be served Tuesday, but not Wednesday, which is Admission Day.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY UNIONS HOLD CELEBRATION HERE TODAY

Varied Program of Music, Oratory, Speeches and Dancing Prepared; Big Parade Will Be First Feature of Day

All in readiness for the San Joaquin Valley Labor Day celebration, which is to be held in Fresno today. The participants have been assigned their places and are anxiously awaiting the call of General Manager G. M. McEvoy at 10:30 o'clock this morning when the celebration will be formally opened with the grand parade.

Various places in Fresno were the scene of great activity yesterday. In thirteen different spots union men were busy engaged, from early morning until late at night, in the decoration and the preparation of the parade and in the completion of minor details.

Not only will Fresno unions be represented, but other unions of the valley, affiliated with local organizations, will participate as well. Word to this effect was received several days ago, and a strong outburst of towns with Fresno is not known. Fresno is the only city of the valley holding a celebration.

A varied program, including music, oratory, speeches and dancing has been arranged for the entertainment of union men, their wives, children and friends. Not only will union men be welcomed, but employers as well. Local union men have determined to make the day one in which employees and employers may meet on a common footing and enjoy the entertainment provided.

The parade, starting promptly at 10:30 o'clock, will be the only morning feature. Following the completion of the line of march through the city, the parade will be disbanded at the house where musical and literary exercises and sports will occupy the afternoon.

A musical program will open at 2 o'clock, followed by the oration of the day by Stanley H. Wilson of Los Angeles. Wilson arrived in Fresno last night. The musical program for the afternoon follows:

Vocal solo, "The King of the Vikings Am I," (Phillips)—F. L. Irwin.
Vocal solo, "The Bandolero," (Stuart)—F. L. Irwin.
Piano solo, selected—W. A. Butler.
Trio solo, literary and musical program completed, a series of sporting events will be held on K street, between Tulare and Fresno. Permission for the use of the street has been granted by the city council. C. H. Toole, physical director of the Fresno program of sports:

1. Tag of war—Millmen vs. Teenagers. Prize, box of cigars.
2. Boys' pushmobile race. First prize, 5 months' pass to Khenma theater for two persons. Second prize, 3 months' pass to Khenma theater for two persons.
3. Three-legged race—Open contest. Prize, two fine shirts.
4. Tag of war—Clerks vs. Barbers. Prize, box of cigars.
5. Bicycle race—Boys vs. Girls, under 16. First boy, 6 months' pass Khenma theater for two persons. First girl, 6 months' pass Khenma theater, two persons.
6. Back race—Open contest. Prize, \$3 meal ticket.
7. Potato race—Open contest for women. Prize, first three women, each 1 month's pass to Khenma theater.
8. 44-yard relay race—Open contest. Prize, five men \$2.50 each.
9. Barrel race—Open contest. Prize, \$3 meal ticket.
10. Watermelon contest—Open. Prize, \$2.
11. Football contest—Open. Prize, all you can get.
12. Fat man's race—Open. Prize, \$4 pair of shoes.
13. 230-yard dash—Open. Prize \$5 meat and oil order.
14. 440-yard relay race—Closed contest for unions. Prize cup.
15. Tag of war between members of the 1 numbers Local No. 736 for a large wager.
16. 50-yard dash.
17. Boys' race.

Under the direction of J. Wesley Tilton, a band concert will be given tonight in the court house park at 8 o'clock. The concert was donated by the Labor Day committee by the board of supervisors. Following is the program:

March, "American Federation," (Hill) Overture, "King Pharaoh," (Gordon) Arr. by J. Wesley Tilton.
(a) "Venetian Love Song," (Nevin) (b) "Hilgins Love Song" from Tannhauser, (Wagner)
Barcarole, "Arkansas Traveler," (Waltz) "Nights of Gladness," (Lullaby) Selection from "Woodland," (Lullaby) Intermezzo, "Wedding of the Rose," (Lullaby)

Star Spangled Banner.

Those wishing to enter the sporting events make application at the Labor Council headquarters, 1821 1/2 Fresno street, before 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Motion Pictures of Parade. Representatives from two motion picture companies will take pictures of the parade, the films to be developed the same day in time to be shown on the screen tonight. All films will be included in the pictures, as well as the officials of the parade.

Major Snow, members of the city council, a battalion of police, members of the fire department and the Ministerial Union will make up the first section of the parade. C. H. Toole, president of the Fresno Labor Council, has been appointed grand marshal for the parade.

At 2:30 o'clock the Tilton band will give an open air concert in the court house park. This concert will conclude in time to allow the audience to attend the grand ball at convention hall at 8 o'clock.

RANCHER IS KILLED UNVEIL ROWELL WHEN GUN IS DISCHARGED

Joseph Imrie Accidentally Shot While Talking With His Wife

Had Just Returned From Hunting Trip; Death Instantaneous

Following his return from a hunting trip and while conversing with his wife, two children and a neighbor and his wife, Joseph Elliott Imrie, aged 36 years, yesterday morning accidentally discharged a shotgun and was killed instantly. The shot tore a large hole in his neck. Coroner Rosen went to Round Mountain, the scene of the accidental shooting, yesterday afternoon and held the inquest. The jurors, after hearing the evidence of the eye witnesses to the death, brought in a verdict of accidental death from a gunshot wound. The funeral will be held some time Tuesday, either at San Jose or the family home, near Round Mountain.

Imrie and Ernest Haxton, a neighbor, went hunting early yesterday morning and returned about noon. Mrs. Haxton, sister of Imrie's house, when the men returned, Imrie, his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Imrie, and their children stood in the yard and talked.

The butt of the shotgun was resting on the ground and the barrel was pointed in the air. Imrie had his hand on the gun. In some manner, not accounted for by any of the witnesses, the gun exploded and the charge struck Imrie in the neck. He fell to the ground and died instantly. The shotgun was a Remington-Union.

Imrie was 36 years of age and had lived all of his life in the vicinity of Round Mountain. Besides his wife and two children he is survived by his parents and several brothers and sisters.

GROWERS ADVISED TO HOLD FOR FULL VALUE

Conditions Unsettled Yet, But Domestic Market Is Fairly Good

Although there is still a difference of opinion among fruit men as to the exact effect the war in Europe will have on the fruit market, growers are advised to hold for full value. The California Fruit Exchange in its Bulletin No. 31 to members of the Associated Growers, warns growers to carefully consider market values before disposing of the crops and to hold out for full value. Growers are also advised, because of existing conditions and the possibility of an excellent market, to watch carefully the curling of their fruits and to produce, if possible, grades of a higher quality than the standard calls for.

It is said that some business men believe that lack of transportation facilities will longer retard foreign shipping. With the British fleet patrolling the North Atlantic it is claimed that there should be an abundance of ships to carry cargoes if shippers will send them. The real trouble, it is claimed, lies in financing the shipments and in securing longer credit for foreign countries in returning a regular and reliable course of business, that would permit sales to be made safely. It is also argued that there is no use in shipping to foreign countries unless some assurance can be given that payments can be made by the governments.

In reporting the market conditions the bulletin announces that because of the war dried apricots are weaker, while peaches are firm. Dried apples will be plentiful and prices quoted now are low. The prune market is firm and there is a prospect of higher prices. California raisins are a first crop reported and this country could consume the entire output if there were no export demand. It is expected, however, that there will be a big demand in England for United States grapes. Growers are urged not to get frightened by the rumors of their crops to speculators at low prices.

BAVARIAN COUNT IS VISITOR IN FRESNO

Guest of Felix M. Locher Who Knew Family in Switzerland

Albrecht, Count von Montgelas, a Bavarian nobleman who is prominent in San Francisco society, arrived in Fresno last evening to be the guest of Felix M. Locher of 181 Fresno avenue. He probably will remain in Fresno for several days.

The count is a young man of about 28 years and is one of the most fashionable young men about town in San Francisco society. He has resided there for about two years and enjoys all in the city because of his accomplishment as a fancy dancer and he has captured all prizes in recent society dancing contests.

The members of the count's family reside in Germany and although he has made every possible effort he has not heard from them since the outbreak of the war. He has communicated through the German consul but to no avail.

The family formerly resided in Bern, Switzerland, where they were friends of the Locher family. Mr. Locher, who is in the city because of his military service in the army, is a native of Bern and his parents now reside there.

MONTEREY WILL HAVE FISH FEED

For the purpose of advertising Monterey's splendid winter climate and the fact that Monterey Bay yields a multiplicity of delicious fish, members of the old Capital Club have set aside October 24 as "Fish Feed Day," and the first annual fish feed of the club will be held then. It will be a star affair and baskets from every part of the state will be invited. Recognized chefs will be sent to prepare salted, broiled, fried, and all kinds of salt fish. There will be no expense to visitors in Monterey on "Fish Feed Day," as committees have been appointed to provide transportation, souvenirs and entertainment.

STATUE WEDNESDAY

Male Octette Under Direction of Wahlberg to Give Numbers

Unveiling of the monument erected to the memory of Dr. Chester Rowell will take place Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The monument is located at the Tulare and K street entrance to the court house park. The services will be in charge of the Rowell monument committee and the public is invited to attend.

Admission Day was chosen as the date of the unveiling inasmuch as this date is a local holiday and a celebration is to be held here by the Native Sons.

A complete musical program for the occasion has been prepared by A. G. Wahlberg, who is in charge of the male octette. An octette consisting of eight men will sing several selections. The octette consists of George Babcock and Oliver Rauld, first tenors; John Schumacher and S. L. Platt, second tenors; Gus Olsen and A. G. Wahlberg, baritone; Maurice Burphure and H. L. Zimmerman, bass.

Two selections will be given by the octette. The first is "Still, Still, Still," by T. H. Gerish and "The Sweetly Solenn Thought" by Herbert Johnson. A band picked from the Musicians' union will play the opening and closing numbers.

FORM NON-PARTISAN JOHNSON CLUB

First Meeting to Be Held in Court House Park Next Saturday

For the purpose of giving not only active support to the candidacy of Governor Hiram Johnson for re-election in November, members of the Free Forum of Fresno are forming a Non-partisan Hiram Johnson Club. The club plan will be placed before the voters at a meeting next Saturday night, September 12, at Court House Park under the auspices of the Forum. All voters, irrespective of their party affiliation, are invited to attend the meeting.

The pledge to be signed by Johnson supporters who become members of the club is as follows:

"In times like these the undersigned hold that all partisan politics should be entirely set aside in choosing a governor of our state.

"Believing this, and having the splendid constructive record of California's present great governor before us, we unite in our far-reaching benefits to all the people of California, and we pledge ourselves to give our hearty active support and diligent work to secure the election of Governor Hiram Johnson."

DREW OPENS CAMPAIGN FOR CONGRESS SEPT. 17

Will Speak to Voters of Reedley in First Meeting

A. M. Drew of Fresno, Republican candidate for Congress from the seventh district, will open his campaign for the November election in Reedley, September 17 with a public meeting. From that date until the election Mr. Drew will wage a continuous campaign. Meetings in practically all of the principal cities in the district have been arranged by Mr. Drew's campaign managers. Public gatherings at which the Republican candidate will speak have been arranged for every night except Sundays. It is likely that he will also deliver some addresses during the day.

Aside from the public meetings, Mr. Drew will also do considerable personal work among the voters of the district. A complete itinerary of speaking dates will be announced within the next day or so.

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